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ANNUAL REPORT  
OF THE TOWN OF  
HENNIKER  
*NEW HAMPSHIRE*



*For the year ending  
December 31, 1961*





# ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE OFFICERS OF THE

TOWN OF

# HENNIKER

NEW HAMPSHIRE

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1961

AND THE


VITAL STATISTICS FOR 1961



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## TOWN OFFICERS

Representative to the General Court  
LEWIS H. CARPENTER

Moderator  
JAMES W. DOON

### Selectmen and Overseers of the Public Welfare

HARRY C. HATCH	Term expires 1962
STEPHEN C. BENNETT	Term expires 1963
ARTHUR S. HADLEY	Term expires 1964

Town Clerk and Tax Collector  
CHARLES H. TUCKER

Collector of Sewer Rents  
HARRY C. HATCH

Town Treasurer  
E. BENJAMIN AYER

Highway Agent  
DONALD R. GOSS

Supervisors of Checklist  
DIAMOND A. MAXWELL      DANA F. GREENLY  
HATTIE M. EDMUNDS

Ballot Clerks  
NORMAN C. PARMENTER      CLAYTON E. MEADE  
JOSEPH B. MAILLETTE      CLARENCE L. FITCH

Health Officer and Meat Inspector  
GEORGE M. PARMENTER

Water Commissioners

CLARENCE W. EDMUNDS	Term expires 1962
CHARLES E. DAMOUR	Term expires 1963
OLIVER D. DANIELS	Term expires 1964

Trustees of Tucker Free Library

CLARENCE W. EDMUNDS	Term expires 1962
SILAS A. ROWE	Term expires 1962
STANLEY BRACY	Term expires 1963
ANNA L. CHILDS	Term expires 1963
DIAMOND A. MAXWELL	Term expires 1964
SARAH J. COGSWELL	Term expires 1964

Trustees of Trust Funds

NORMAN C. PARMENTER	Term expires 1962
J. PHILIP CHASE	Term expires 1963
CLARENCE L. FITCH	Term expires 1964

School Board

W. GORDON DUNNING	Term expires 1962
MERLE R. PATENAUDE	Term expires 1963
EDWARD J. HATLACK	Term expires 1964

Fire Engineers

CLARENCE L. FITCH	Chief
ROBY H. WOOD	ERNEST P. GREENWOOD

Forest Fire Wardens

E. BENJAMIN AYER Chief

SHIRLEY E. DAVISON	ERNEST P. GREENWOOD
CLARENCE L. FITCH	FRED C. BRUNNHÖELZL
DONALD R. GOSS	FREDERICK CONNOR
CHARLES E. DAMOUR	

Town Auditors

FORREST W. DOWLIN	ALFRED L. FRENCH
LESTER E. CONNOR	

Chief of Police and Dog Constable

BERNARD F. MAILLETTE

Police Officers

CALVIN L. TUCKER	JOSEPH G. ROBIDOUX
W. ERNEST BERGH	RONALD L. GARRISON
RICHARD A. BROWN	CHARLES I. WATERS
ROBY H. WOOD	CLARENCE H. WHITE

Auxiliary Police

NELSON RUSSELL	WALTER H. CLEARY
NAPOLEON F. DAMOUR	JOHN D. MCGREGOR

Park Board

MERLE R. PATENAUDE Chairman  
HARRY C. HATCH  
GLADYS A. WEEDEN Clerk and Treasurer



### Fence Viewers

LESTER R. BROWN

LESTER H. FARRAR

### Surveyors of Wood and Lumber

ARTHUR STARR

FORREST W. DOWLIN

### Budget Committee

ROBY H. WOOD	Term expires 1962
J. PHILIP CHASE	Term expires 1962
CLARENCE L. FITCH	Term expires 1962
LESTER E. CONNOR	Term expires 1963
ROBERT STERLING	Term expires 1963
KENNETH HOLT	Term expires 1963
DIAMOND A. MAXWELL	Term expires 1964
HAROLD W. AYER	Term expires 1964
GEORGE A. SANBORN	Term expires 1964
MERLE R. PATENAUDE	Member School Board
HARRY C. HATCH	Selectman

### Planning Board

VICTOR KJELLMAN	
Chairman	Term expires 1965
BENJAMIN WEEDEN Sec.	Term expires 1962
HENRY HOPE	Term expires 1963
NAPOLEON F. DAMOUR	Term expires 1963
MERLE R. PATENAUDE Jr.	Term expires 1964
HARRY C. HATCH	Selectman

## TOWN WARRANT

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Henniker in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

(L. S.)

You are hereby notified to meet at Cogswell High School Auditorium in said Henniker on Tuesday, the thirteenth day of March, next at one of the clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

Town meeting will be recessed for School meeting.

Polls open at 1:00 p. m. and close at 8:00 p. m.

The articles in the Warrant will be taken up at 8:00 p. m.

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.

2. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Library Trustees, Trustees of Trust Funds, and other Committees.

3. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town charges for the ensuing year.

4. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repair of highways and bridges, repair or purchase of machinery.

5. To see what action the Town will take in regard to the Public Health, and raise money for the same.

6. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to defray the expense of observing Memorial Day.

7. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the Tucker Free Library.

8. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of the Fire Department.

9. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for maintaining hydrant service for the ensuing year.

10. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for street lighting for the ensuing year.

11. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

12. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for State Aid Construction of Class V Roads.

13. To see what action the Town will take relative to maintaining a Town Dump, raise money for same or take other action relative thereto.

14. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Old Age Assistance.

15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$780.00 for the support of Concord Hospital.

16. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for legal services.

17. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to construct a community room in the Tucker Free Library basement, or take other action relative thereto.

18. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the planning board to make a study of a central heating plant for the town, to serve the following buildings: grade school, K. P. Hall, high school, library and fire station, or take any other action relative thereto.

19. To see if the Town will vote to have the Selectmen appoint a three-man board to govern the proposed community building, formerly the Town Hall, or take any other action relative thereto. These men to be appointed for 3, 2 and 1 year terms the first time, and thereafter one new man appointed for a term of three years each year.

20. To see if the Town will vote to improve the town right of way from Fairview Avenue to Western Avenue and raise and appropriate money for the same.

21. To see if the Town will vote to put four (4) street lights on Fairview Avenue.

22. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell to the United States Government the Connolly lot so-called on route 114.

23. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell an easement on land in Azalea Park that will be flooded by construction of the Hopkinton-Everett Flood Control Dam.

24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$75.00 for the purchase of one large size self-closing Waste Receptacle and attend to the emptying of it, and three other receptacles donated to the town.

25. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to pay dues to the New Hampshire Municipal Association; and by so doing, the Town would become a member.

26. To see if the Town would be in favor of having the history of the Town of Henniker, as compiled and written by Mr. Francis Childs, published in book form, and defray expenses of such publication.

27. To transact any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 15th day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and sixty-two.

HARRY C. HATCH,  
STEPHEN C. BENNETT,  
ARTHUR S. HADLEY,  
Selectmen of Henniker

A true copy of Warrant —Attest:

HARRY C. HATCH,  
STEPHEN C. BENNETT,  
ARTHUR S. HADLEY,  
Selectmen of Henniker

## TOWN VALUATION, 1961

Land and Buildings	\$2,584,680.00
Mills and Machinery	94,600.00
Electric plant	191,700.00
House Trailers used as dwellings, 16	26,080.00
Stock in Trade	182,110.00
Horses, 18	945.00
Cows, 395	39,275.00
Neat Stock, 50	3,835.00
Sheep and Goats, 28	280.00
Fowls, 15,792	6,065.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	5,400.00
Portable Sawmills and Road Machinery	18,625.00
Wood and Lumber	33,520.00
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Total Valuation	\$3,187,115.00
Less Exemptions	105,000.00
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Total valuation upon which tax rate is based	\$3,082,115.00

Tax rate \$4.50 per \$100.00 valuation.

## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

1961

Town Hall, land and buildings	\$10,000.00
Libraries, land and buildings	20,000.00
Furniture and equipment	7,500.00
Fire department, land and buildings	13,000.00
Equipment	15,000.00
Highway department, lands, buildings and equipment	30,000.00
Materials and supplies	150.00
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	6,000.00
Water supply	58,000.00
Schools, lands and buildings	110,000.00
Equipment	21,500.00
Carter land, Bradford road	50.00
Arthur Hall property	100.00
Rogers lot	50.00
Etta Towns lot	300.00
Hattie Davis lot	100.00
Hardys Place	400.00
Carnes lot, Concord Road	25.00
Preston lot	100.00
Lawson Smith land	300.00
Levi Connor land	75.00
Edgar Fowler Place	675.00
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	\$309,325.00



# TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

— DR. —

## Motor Vehicle Permits Issued:

52 for 1960 Registration	\$ 304.73	
1,142 for 1961 Registration	10,725.65	
28 for 1962 Registration	330.30	
	<hr/>	\$11,360.68

## Dog Licenses Issued:

175 Males & Spayed Females	\$ 341.25	
13 Females	65.00	
1 Kennel	12.00	
32 Penalties	16.00	
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	\$ 434.25	
Less Clerk's Fees, 189 @ .20	37.80	
	<hr/>	\$ 396.45

## Miscellaneous:

Election Filing Fees	\$ 9.00	
Business License	\$ 50.00	
	<hr/>	\$11,816.13

— CR. —

By Remittances to Town Treasurer	\$11,816.13
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CHARLES H. TUCKER

Town Clerk



MEMORANDUM OF AMOUNTS OF MONEY

RAISED AND/OR APPROPRIATED AT

ANNUAL MEETING 1961

Article # 3.	Town Charges	\$16,360.00
Article # 4.	Repair of Highways & Bridges, Repair or Purchase of Machinery	21,500.00
Article # 5.	Public Health Nurse	3,800.00
Article # 6.	Memorial Day	200.00
Article # 7.	Tucker Free Library	1,000.00
Article # 8.	Fire Department	2,400.00
Article # 9.	Hydrant Service	1,500.00
Article # 10.	Street Lighting	2,700.00
Article # 13.	Class 5 Roads	1,151.67
Article # 15.	Town Dump	800.00
Article # 16.	Old Age Assistance	6,000.00
Article # 17.	Concord Hospital	896.00
Article # 18.	Legal Expenses	500.00
Article # 19.	Town Planning Board	100.00
Article # 20.	Forest Fire Protection	25.00
Article # 23.	Civil Defense	200.00
TOTAL		<hr/> \$59,132.67

A true record of all amounts of money raised and/or appropriated at said annual meeting.

ATTEST:

CHARLES H. TUCKER,  
Town Clerk

# RECORD OF AFFIRMATIVE VOTES AT ANNUAL MEETING 1961.

Article 2. VOTED, that reports as printed in Town Report be accepted.

Article 3. VOTED, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Sixteen Thousand Three Hundred Sixty Dollars, (\$16,360.00), to defray Town Charges for the ensuing year, divided as follows:

For Town Officers Salaries	\$5,000.00
For Town Officers Expenses	2,100.00
For Elections and Registrations	200.00
For Town Buildings	1,100.00
For Municipal Court	500.00
For Police Department	2,300.00
For Sewers	200.00
For Vital Statistics	60.00
For Town Poor	4,000.00
For Interest	900.00

and, that Town Officers be paid at the following rates:

Selectmen	\$ 8.00 per day
Supervisors of the Checklist	8.00 per day
Ballot Clerks	8.00 per day
Moderator	15.00 per day
Town Clerk	100.00 per year
Town Treasurer	300.00 per year
Tax Collector	1% of taxes collected

Article 4. VOTED, that the sum of Twenty One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars, (\$21,500.00), be raised and appropriated for the repair of highways and bridges, repair or purchase of machinery, for the ensuing year.

Article 5. VOTED, that the sum of Three Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars, (\$3,800.00), for salary and use of car be raised and appropriated for the Public Health Nurse for the ensuing year.

Article 6. VOTED, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Dollars, (\$200.00), to defray the expense of observing Memorial Day.

Article 7. VOTED, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars, (\$1,000.00), for the support of Tucker Free Library.

Article 8. VOTED, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Four Hundred Dollars, (\$2,400.00), for the maintenance of the Fire Department for the ensuing year.

Article 9. VOTED, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars, (\$1,500.00), for maintaining hydrant service for the ensuing year.

Article 10. VOTED, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars, (\$2,700.00), for street lighting for the ensuing year.

Article 11. VOTED, that the Selectmen are authorized to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

Article 12. VOTED, that the Town accept the provisions of Revised Statutes Annotated, 41—32A, for the election of Town Auditors.

Article 13. VOTED, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand, One Hundred Fifty One Dollars & Sixty Seven Cents, (\$1,151.67), for State Aid construction of Class 5 roads for the ensuing year.

Article 14. VOTED, to indefinitely postpone action under this Article.

Article 15. VOTED, that the town raise the sum of Eight Hundred Dollars, (\$800.00), for the maintenance of the Town Dump for the ensuing year.

Article 16. VOTED, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Six Thousand Dollars, (\$6,000.00), for Old Age Assistance for the ensuing year.

Article 17. VOTED, that the Town raise the sum of Eight Hundred Ninety Six Dollars, (\$896.00), for the support of Concord Hospital.

Article 18. VOTED, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, (\$500.00), for legal expenses for the ensuing year.

Article 19. VOTED, that the Town raise the sum of One Hundred Dollars, (\$100.00), for the use of the Planning Board for the ensuing year.

Article 20. VOTED, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty Five Dollars, (\$25.00), to be expended in cooperation with the New Hampshire Forestry and Recreation Commission for the opening and maintaining of trails and old roads for Forest Fire Protection. The New Hampshire Forestry & Recreation Commission to provide a matching sum not in excess of Twenty Five Dollars, (\$25.00), for this purpose.

Article 21. VOTED, that the Town change the name of Commercial Street to "Ramsdell Road". If Commercial Street becomes a dead-end road, below the house Miss Ramsdell lived in, then the area at the Common and the remaining part of Commercial Street shall be designated as "Ramsdell Circle".

Article 22. VOTED, that the following Resolution be accepted and adopted: RESOLVED that the proposed agreement, including plans, Exhibits "A-1" and "A-2", between the Town of Henniker and the United States for the relocation, rearrangement, or alteration of public highways situated within the Hopkinton-Everett Dam and Reservoir Project,

be and is hereby approved; and be it FURTHER RESOLVED that the Selectmen be and hereby are authorized and empowered, for and in behalf of the Town, to enter into said agreement with the United States, making such clarifying or other changes therein not inconsistent with the purpose thereof as they may deem necessary or advisable; and be it FURTHER RESOLVED that the Selectmen, upon the execution of said agreement, be and hereby are authorized and empowered, for and in behalf of the Town, to enter into an agreement or agreements with the Commissioner of Public Works and Highways of the State of New Hampshire, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 10, Laws 1959, for the performance of any or all the work to be performed by the Town, and to take such other action and to do any and all such things as may be incidental or necessary to the performance of said agreement between the Town of Henniker and the United States.

Article 23. VOTED, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Dollars, (\$200.00), for Civil Defense for the ensuing year.

Article 24. No action taken under this Article.

ATTEST:

CHARLES H. TUCKER  
Town Clerk,



# TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

December 31, 1961

Cash on hand — January 1, 1961 \$15,387.46

Received from C. H. Tucker, Clerk:

1961 Dog Tax	\$ 396.45
1960 Automobile Tax	304.73
1961 Automobile Tax	10,725.65
1962 Automobile Tax	330.30
Filing Fees	9.00

Received from C. H. Tucker, Collector:

Business License	50.00
National Bank Stock Tax	12.00
1961 Yield Tax	1,984.43
1951 Property Tax	3.75
1952 Property Tax	3.65
1953 Property Tax	3.15
1954 Property Tax	3.45
1955 Property Tax	3.62
1956 Property Tax	3.72
1957 Property Tax	3.98
1958 Property Tax	3.00
1959 Property Tax	3.23
1960 Property Tax	25.30
1961 Property Tax	138,290.91
1958 Tax Sale Redemption	67.64
1959 Tax Sale Redemption	342.26
1960 Tax Sale Redemption	5,078.99
1951 Interest a/c Tax Levy	2.42
1952 Interest a/c Tax Levy	2.18
1953 Interest a/c Tax Levy	1.49
1954 Interest a/c Tax Levy	1.32
1955 Interest a/c Tax Levy	1.45
1956 Interest a/c Tax Levy	1.22

1957 Interest a/c Tax Levy	.98
1958 Interest a/c Tax Levy	.59
1959 Interest a/c Tax Levy	.41
1960 Interest a/c Tax Levy	2.05
1961 Interest a/c Tax Levy	19.75
1960 Poll Tax	98.00
1961 Poll Tax	1,244.00
1960 Head Tax	315.00
1960 Head Tax Penalties	31.50
1961 Head Tax	3,875.00
1961 Head Tax Penalties	18.50
Received from Selectmen:	
Refund, County Poor	1,427.48
Refund, Old Age Assistance	1,244.97
Refund, Gas Tax	339.49
Interest & Dividend Tax	3,854.80
Duncan Fund	1,432.76
Railroad Tax	142.25
Municipal Court	800.00
Trustees of Trust Funds, Constantine Fund	28.63
Trustees of Trust Funds, James R. Straw Fund	2,791.13
Refund, Loss of Taxes on Forest Land	3.38
Gift, Ronald T. Lyman	500.00
State of New Hampshire, Flood Control	9,777.48
Services of State Engineer	3,085.12
Refund, Memorial Day Appropriation	22.13
Refund, Painting Bridge West Henniker	97.36
Nursing Fees	234.25
Beano License	30.00
Sewer Rent	544.67
Firearm's Permit	16.00
Bounties	86.50
Treasurer of U.S.	2,107.27
Proctor Fund	2,861.80
Savings Bank Tax	190.38
Hopkinton Fire	406.36
Forest Fire Refund	43.33
Gravel, Coldpatch, etc.	733.40

Snowplowing & Snow Removal	83.50
Sale of Snowplow	100.00
Use of Truck	32.10
Use of Grader	16.00
Use of Loader	120.70
Towing Service	5.00
Culvert Pipe	25.76
Sale of Battery	1.00
Permit to Use Dump	5.00
Use of Fire Truck	20.00
Dynamite & Caps	20.00
Refund, Thomas Cullen	1.00
Refund, Bertha Eustis	10.00
Refund, Day Baby	177.75
Refund, Robert Savage Property Tax	28.73
Note, Anticipation of Taxes	30,000.00
Parking Violation	169.19
Refund, La Francis	10.00
Total Receipts	\$242,279.20
Total Payments	<u>229,089.17</u>
Cash on hand December 31, 1961	\$ 13,190.03

E. BENJAMIN AYER,  
Treasurer  
Town of Henniker, N. H.



## **TOWN BUDGET**

# TAXES RAISED, EXPENDED, AND ESTIMATE

	Raised	Receipts	Amt.	Ex'pd.	Un-Ex'pd.	Over-	1902
	Appr.		Available			draft	Estimate
Town Officers' salaries . . . .	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 311.00	\$ 5,311.00	\$ 4,917.02	\$ 393.98		\$5,000.00
Town Officers' expenses ..	2,100.00		2,100.00	2,540.90		\$ 440.90	2,300.00
Election & Registration ..	200.00		200.00	154.85	45.15		500.00
Municipal Court .....	500.00	800.00	1,300.00	560.00	740.00		500.00
Town Buildings .....	1,100.00		1,100.00	1,030.00	70.00		900.00
Police Department .....	2,300.00	169.19	2,469.19	2,340.70	128.49		2,500.00
Vital Statistics .....	60.00		60.00	55.05	4.95		60.00
Sewers .....	200.00	544.67	744.67	243.99	500.68		200.00
Town Poor .....	4,000.00	197.75	4,197.75	4,771.78		574.03	3,000.00
Interest .....	900.00		900.00	770.00	130.00		600.00
Total Town Charges .....	\$16,360.00	\$ 2,022.61	\$17,482.61	\$17,384.29	\$2,013.25	\$1,014.93	\$15,560.00
Highways .....	21,500.00	\$ 1,573.21	\$23,073.21	\$24,425.63		1,352.42	25,000.00
T. R. A. ....	1,151.67		1,151.67	1,151.67			1,150.00

Street Lighting .....	2,700.00		2,700.00	2,637.95	62.05	2,600.00
Concord Hospital .....	896.00		896.00	896.00		780.00
Public Health .....	3,800.00	234.25	4,034.25	3,848.29	185.96	3,800.00
Town Dump .....	800.00	5.00	805.00	844.60		850.00
Fire Department .....	2,400.00	470.69	2,870.69	2,810.37	60.32	2,700.00
Hydrant Rental .....	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,500.00		1,000.00
Memorial Day .....	200.00	22.13	222.13	182.74	39.39	200.00
Library .....	1,000.00		1,000.00	1,000.00		1,000.00
Old Age Assistance .....	6,000.00	1,244.97	7,244.97	5,806.85	1,438.12	5,000.00
Planning Board .....	100.00		100.00			
Legal Expenses .....	500.00	1,010.00	1,510.00	535.00	975.00	100.00
Civil Defence .....	200.00		200.00			
New Equipment .....						3,000.00
Note on Fire Truck .....	1,000.00		1,000.00	1,000.00		1,000.00
Total .....	\$60,107.67	\$ 6,582.86	\$65,790.53	\$64,023.39	\$4,774.09	\$63,740.00

## ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

### Assets

Cash in hands of Treasurer	\$13,190.03
Cash in hands of Water Co.	4,886.37

#### Accounts due Town

County	316.87
Water rents	2,214.90
Water extensions	2,442.45
Unexpended balance T. R. A.	420.00

#### Unredeemed taxes

Levy of 1961	939.94
Levy of 1960	327.63

#### Uncollected taxes

Levy of 1961	1,073.49
Levy of 1960	84.97
Levy of 1959	12.15
Previous years	187.75
State head taxes — Levy of 1961	420.00
State head taxes — Previous years	100.00

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Total Assets	\$26,616.55
Excess of Liabilities over Assets	\$ 2,548.45

Decrease of debt	\$14,639.69
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## ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

### Liabilities

Due State, uncollected Head Taxes	\$ 420.00
Unexpended Balance T. R. A.	420.00
Unexpended appropriation Planning Board	100.00
Unexpended appropriation Civil Defense	200.00
Unexpended appr. Forest Fire Protection	25.00
Long term notes	
Fire Truck	4,000.00
Grader	2,000.00
International Truck	1,000.00
Engine House	4,000.00
Water Notes	3,000.00
Water Bonds	14,000.00
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Total	\$29,165.00

### AUDITOR'S REPORT

1961

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Henniker, hereby certify that we have examined the books and accounts of the Selectmen, Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, Agent for Memorial Day Appropriation, Town Municipal Court, Treasurer of Tucker Free Library, Board of Trustees of Trust Funds including Securities as tabulated in the report, and deposits in Savings Banks and National Banks, Collector of Water Rents, Clerk and Treasurer of Water Commissioners, and Park Board, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

FORREST W. DOWLIN,  
ALFRED L. FRENCH,  
LESTER E. CONNOR,

Auditors

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT  
SUMMARY OF WARRANT  
PROPERTY, POLL, AND YIELD TAXES  
LEVY OF 1961

— DR. —

**Taxes Committed to Collector:**

Property Taxes .....	\$138,695.18
Poll Taxes .....	1,406.00
National Bank Stock Taxes ..	12.00
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Total Warrant .....	\$140,113.18
Yield Taxes .....	1,811.85

**Added Taxes:**

Yield Taxes .....	\$ 172.58
Property Taxes .....	955.80
Poll Taxes .....	24.00
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Total Added Taxes .....	1,152.38
Overpayment	
a/c Estimated Property Taxes .....	12.92
Interest Collected .....	19.75

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TOTAL DEBITS .....	\$143,110.08
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— CR. —

**Remittances to Treasurer:**

Property Taxes .....	\$138,290.91	
Poll Taxes .....	1,244.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes ..	12.00	
Yield Taxes .....	1,984.43	
Interest Collected .....	19.75	
	<hr/>	\$141,551.09
Discounts Allowed .....	(NONE)	

**Abatements:**

Property Taxes .....	445.50	
Poll Taxes .....	40.00	
Yield Taxes .....	(NONE)	
	<hr/>	485.50

**Uncollected Taxes — Per Collector's List:**

Property Taxes .....	927.49	
Poll Taxes .....	146.00	
Yield Taxes .....	(NONE)	
	<hr/>	1,073.49

**TOTAL CREDITS** .....\$143,110.08

SUMMARY OF WARRANT  
PROPERTY, POLL, AND YIELD TAXES  
LEVY OF 1960

— DR. —

Uncollected Taxes — As of January 1, 1961:

Property Taxes .....	\$ 78.10
Poll Taxes .....	154.00
Yield Taxes .....	10.17

\$ 242.27

Added Poll Taxes ..... 4.00

Interest Collected During Fiscal

Year Ended December 31, 1961 ..... 2.05

TOTAL DEBITS .....\$ 248.32

— CR. —

Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal

Year Ended December 31, 1961:

Property Taxes .....	\$ 25.30
Poll Taxes .....	98.00
Yield Taxes .....	(NONE)
Interest Collected During Year	2.05

\$ 125.35

Abatements Made During Year:

Property Taxes .....	(NONE)
Poll Taxes .....	\$ 38.00
Yield Taxes .....	(NONE)

38.00

Uncollected Taxes — As Per Collector's List:

Property Taxes .....	52.80
Poll Taxes .....	22.00
Yield Taxes .....	10.17

TOTAL CREDITS .....\$ 248.32



SUMMARY OF WARRANT  
STATE HEAD TAX  
LEVY OF 1961

— DR. —

State Head Taxes Committed to Collector:

Original Warrant .....	\$ 4,300.00
Added Taxes .....	80.00

Total Commitment .....	\$ 4,380.00
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Penalties Collected .....	18.50
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TOTAL DEBITS .....	\$ 4,398.50
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— CR. —

Remittances to Treasurer:

Head Taxes .....	\$ 3,875.00
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Penalties .....	18.50
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	\$ 3,893.50
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Abatements .....	85.00
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Uncollected Head Taxes —

Per Collector's List .....	420.00
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TOTAL CREDITS .....	\$ 4,398.50
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SUMMARY OF WARRANT  
STATE HEAD TAX  
LEVY OF 1960

— DR. —

Uncollected Taxes — As of Jan. 1, 1961 ....	\$	420.00	
Added Taxes During 1961 .....		5.00	
Penalties Collected During 1961 .....		31.50	
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TOTAL DEBITS .....	\$	456.50	<hr/>

— CR. —

Remittances to Treasurer During 1961:			
Head Taxes .....	\$	315.00	
Penalties .....		31.50	
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	\$	346.50	
Abatements During Year 1961 .....		70.00	
Uncollected Head Taxes —			
Per Collector's List .....		40.00	
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TOTAL CREDITS .....	\$	456.50	<hr/>

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS — AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1961  
—DR.—

Tax Sale on Account of Levies of:

	1961	1960	1959	1958	Previous Years
Taxes Sold to Town During					
Current Fiscal Year . . . . .	\$939.94				
Balance of Unredeemed Taxes .					
January 1, 1961 . . . . .		5,305.96	317.08	52.73	NONE
Interest Collected After Sale . . .		100.66	29.06	14.91	
TOTAL DEBITS . . . . .	\$939.94	5,406.62	346.14	67.64	NONE

—CR.—

Remittances to Treasurer

During Year . . . . .	\$	5,078.99	342.26	67.64	
Abatements — During Year . . . .			3.88		
Unredeemed Taxes — At Close . .					
of Year . . . . .	939.94	327.63	NONE	NONE	NONE
TOTAL CREDITS . . . . .	\$939.94	5,406.62	346.14	67.64	NONE

CHARLES H. TUCKER, Collector of Taxes

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

### Town Officers' Salaries

Thomas A. Cullen, Selectman	\$135.80
Harry C. Hatch, Selectman	962.25
Stephen C. Bennett, Selectman	609.21
Arthur S. Hadley, Selectman	374.47
E. Benjamin Ayer, Treasurer	291.00
Charles H. Tucker, Tax Collector	1,494.97
Charles H. Tucker, Town Clerk	97.00
Charles H. Tucker, Motor Vehicle Permits	592.67
Forrest W. Dowlin, Auditors	72.00
State Treasurer, Social Security	287.70

Total	\$4,917.02
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### Town Officers' Expenses

Norman C. Parmenter, Trustee of Trust	
Funds, 2 yrs.	\$130.00
J. Philip Chase, Trustee of Trust	
Funds, 2 yrs.	100.00
Clarence L. Fitch, Trustee of Trust	
Funds, 2 yrs.	100.00
Association of N. H. Assessors, Dues	3.00
Contoocook Valley Telephone Co.	46.05
Maxwell Press, Town Reports	677.00
Harry C. Hatch, Copying Tax Books	130.00
Harry C. Hatch, Copying Poll & Head Tax Books	24.00
Harry C. Hatch, Expenses	93.36
Thomas A. Cullen, Expenses	17.46
E. Benjamin Ayer, Expenses	47.69
Charles H. Tucker, Expenses	176.78
Arthur S. Hadley, Expenses	29.50
Stephen C. Bennett, Expenses	6.88
H. L. Holmes & Son, Bonds	180.00
Henniker Pharmacy	1.85
Wheeler & Clark	23.68

Katherine M. Roy	33.40
State of New Hampshire, Books	4.00
Henniker Insurance Agency	202.00
Charles R. Hardy, Town Clerks Asn. Dues	3.00
Edson C. Eastman Co.	40.76
N.H. Tax Collectors Assn.	3.00
N.H. Savings Bank, Box Rent	22.00
Kimballs Inc., Fire Proof Filing Cabinet	425.99
Branham Auto Reference Book	7.00

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Total	\$2,528.90
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#### Election and Registration

Maxwell Press, Printing Ballots	49.85
Russell B. Flanders, Janitor Service	8.00
William Maillette, Ballot Clerk	8.00
Joseph Maillette, Ballot Clerk	8.00
Silas A. Rowe, Ballot Clerk	8.00
Clarence L. Fitch, Ballot Clerk	8.00
Diamond A. Maxwell, Supervisor	20.00
Dana F. Greenly, Supervisor	14.00
Hattie M. Edmunds, Supervisor	16.00
James W. Doon, Moderator	15.00

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Total	\$154.85
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#### Municipal Court

Diamond A. Maxwell, Judge	\$350.00
Robert W. Sterling, Associate Judge & Clerk	210.00

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Total	\$560.00
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#### Town Buildings

Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$141.37
Farm Bureau Insurance Co.	46.55
H. L. Holmes & Son, Fuel and Insurance	380.69
Karl G. Upton, lumber	9.75

Donald Goss	88.47
Edmunds Dept. Store	21.37
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange	179.79
Donald Alger	4.00
Freddies Automotive Service	29.00
Girard C. Kriester	30.49
Silas A. Rowe Agency	39.75
Cogswell Spring Water Works	47.00
State Treasurer, Social Security	5.88
Internal Revenue Service, Withholding Tax	6.80
Total	<hr/> \$1,030.91

#### Police Department

Bernard F. Maillette, Acting Chief	\$453.82
Calvin L. Tucker	547.42
Richard A. Brown	136.99
Charles I. Waters	47.70
Joseph G. Robidoux	319.99
Napoleon F. Damour	14.55
W. Ernest Bergh	208.61
Ronald L. Garrison	72.15
Walter H. Cleary	26.55
John D. McGregor, Jr.	12.12
State Treasurer, Social Security	113.54
Public Service Co. of N. H., Traffic Light	63.80
Weger Governmental Systems Co., Supplies	52.60
Duncan Parking Meter Co., Tickets	24.35
Edmunds Dept. Store	33.75
Henniker Machine Co.	13.30
W. S. Darley & Co., Supplies	68.19
Rock Garden, Feeding Tramps	4.75
Astles Lumber Co., Lumber	3.30
Kendrick & Sons	.69
Sanel Auto Parts	8.28
Duane Williams, Camera	100.00
Henniker Pharmacy	3.55

Contoocook Valley Telephone Co.	10.70
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Total	<u>\$2,340.70</u>
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### Fire Department

General Taylor Engine Co., gift from Ronald T. Lyman	\$500.00
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### Fire Department

Clarence L. Fitch, Chief , Engineers	
Salaries and Expenses	\$78.50
E. Benjamin Ayer, Fire Warden	137.19
N. H. Fire Safety Equipment, Supplies	86.45
Eastern Fire Equipment Co., Supplies	13.42
John A. Cormare, Batteries	76.26
State Treasurer, Supplies	85.75
Mass. Bonding & Insurance Co., for 1960 and 1961	304.50
Al Norton's Sunoco Station	7.00
Western Ave. Garage	18.94
N. H. Welding Supply Co.	30.80
Donald Goss	3.74
Henniker Machine Co.	13.23
Clifford A. Phillips, Shoveling Hydrants	16.97
Henniker Pharmacy	7.83
Edmunds Dept. Store, Supplies	23.33
H. L. Holmes & Son	575.76
Eureka Fire Hose	244.51
Henniker Automotive	63.57
E. B. Ayer, Fire in Hopkinton	406.36
E. B. Ayer, Fire East of Cemetery	21.75
Arnold Hooper, Shoveling Hydrants	6.06
Jones Express	2.95
E. & J. Resuscitator, repairs	38.30
E. B. Ayer, Fire on Warner Road	25.50
Blanchard Associates	8.95
Graybar Electric Co., Inc.	26.65

Contoocook Valley Telephone Co.	32.10
General Taylor Engine Co., Payroll	450.00
Phelps Photo, Grid Maps	4.00

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Total	\$2,810.37
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#### Health Department

George M. Parmenter, Health Officer	\$14.80
Concord Hospital	896.00
Henniker Pharmacy, Supplies	1.69
Marion Metopoloes, Nursing Service	4.00
Vital Statistics	55.05

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Total	\$971.54
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#### District Nurse

Mary Maillette, Salary	\$2,513.89
Internal Revenue, Withholding Tax	548.00
State Treasurer, Social Security	186.40
Mary Maillette, Use of Car	600.00

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Total	\$3,848.29
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#### Bounties

Harry C. Hatch	\$43.00
Stephen C. Bennett	22.00
Arthur S. Hadley	4.50

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Total	\$69.50
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#### Sewer Department

Oliver D. Daniels	\$77.43
State Treasurer, Social Security	6.22
Lawrence R. Honto, labor	11.88
Donald Goss	16.00
Concord Lumber Co., pipe	23.46
Curtis A. Rowe	44.00
Yeaton & Maine	65.00

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Total	\$243.99
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## Town Dump

Arthur Jones	\$465.00
First National Stores	200.00
State Treasurer, Social Security	38.10
E. Benjamin Ayer	46.50
Malcolm McComish	95.00

Total	\$844.60
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## T. R. A.

State Treasurer, 1961 appropriation	\$1,151.67
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## Street Lighting

Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$2,637.95
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## General Expenses of Highway Department

R. J. Hazelton	\$2,012.62
Warren Refining & Chemical Co., Grease and Oil	479.53
Jones Express	2.64
District Director of Internal Revenue	
Withholding Tax	1,141.90
State Treasurer, Social Security	675.29
Public Service Co. of N. H., Lights	78.23
N. H. Welding Supply Co.	124.19
Sanel Auto Parts	1,502.18
Henniker Pharmacy	12.40
Al Nortons Sunoco Station, Supplies	45.13
Henniker Automotive, Labor and Material	469.87
C. W. Rowe, Inc., Supplies	34.98
Edmunds Dept. Store, Supplies	129.03
Spears Garage	293.12
Mass. Bonding & Insurance Co.	80.85
Hanover Insurance Co.	57.75
H. L. Holmes & Son, Gas and Fuel Oil	2,149.36
H. L. Holmes & Son, Fleet Insurance	285.70
Henniker Machine Co.	78.30
Western Avenue Garage	7.00

Karl G. Upton	94.55
John A. Connare	980.63
Proctor Garden Equipment Service	45.18
Rayem Enterprises	108.41
Merrimack Farmers Exchange	146.98
F. E. Norton & Sons	3.15
Banks Chevrolet, Inc.	36.70
Concord Auto Top Co.	24.00
New England Chemical Supply Co.	175.50
Jordan-Milton Machinery	218.35
Freddie's Automotive	40.50
National Chemsearch	303.94
Prison Industries	353.80
Evans Radio, Inc.	21.74
N. H. Bituminous Co.	503.27
Northern Salt Service, 114 tons	1,462.78
Ray Road Equipment	14.78
Ralph D. Morrissey, radio repairs	8.80
G. Stanley Butman, Filters	62.69
N. H. Explosives & Machinery Co.	78.30
Curtis Rowe	115.50
Palmer Spring Co.	20.24
Walter B. J. Brennan, cutting tree	50.00
Concord Lumber Co., pipe	157.14
Granite State Asphalt Co.	33.55
Snap-on Tool Corp.	8.58
Thomas Young	35.00
The Chemical Corp.	128.77

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Total	\$14,892.90
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#### Highway Department

Donald Goss, Agent	\$3,539.45
W. Ernest Bergh, labor	2,423.97
Robert Gould, labor	2,222.04
Malcolm McComish, labor	440.83
Donat A. Damour, labor	145.49

Irving W. Goss, labor	111.72
Peter Metopoloos, labor	195.42
Shirley Davison, labor	75.16
Bruce Caldwell, labor	27.09
Frederick J. Caldwell, labor	12.12
Francis Taylor, labor	23.04
Ronald Goss, labor	4.85
Harold Ayer, labor	18.19
E. B. Ayer, labor	17.03
Clayton Goss, labor	76.48
Ronald Garrison, labor	68.09
Wilton McKean, labor	45.81
Clifford Phillips, labor	18.19
Arthur Howes, labor	10.91
Alfred Damour, labor	10.91
Merrill Nutter, labor	6.06
Lee Wilson, labor	4.85
Richard Goss, labor	10.91
John McGregor, labor	4.85
W. Ernest Bergh, use of car	10.20
Donald Goss, use of car	295.30
Donald Goss, cash advanced	68.55
Donald Goss, use of truck	290.00
Marshall Connor, use of jeep	15.00
James McComish, use of bulldozer	306.00
James Moran, gravel	30.00
Kenneth Dermon, gravel	5.00
Dwight Connor, gravel	80.50

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Total	\$10,059.26
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#### Duncan Fund

N. H. Bituminous Co.	\$837.21
Donald Goss, Payroll	554.75
N. H. Bituminous Co.	40.80

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Total	\$1,432.76
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### Library

Tucker Free Library, 1961 Appropriation	\$1,000.00
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### Old Age Assistance

State of New Hampshire	\$5,806.85
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### Town Poor

First National Stores	\$575.00
Nancy Andrews	2.70
Mrs. Charles Clough	127.50
Holmes Funeral Service	469.00
Maple Leaf Nursing Home	995.60
Gonyer's Pharmacy	232.10
Green's Drug Store, Inc.	7.75
Kendrick & Sons	10.00
Henniker Fuel, Inc.	69.82
Dorothy A. Olin	124.00
Anthony D. Bower, M. D.	3.00
Moore General Hospital	112.45
Henniker Pharmacy	100.72
Francis Brown, M. D.	33.00
Richard Labnon	19.95
Henniker Square Market	109.00
Hillsborough County Commissioners	275.01
Kenneth D. Daly, M. D.	38.00
Public Service Co. of N. H.	24.97
Adolphe J. Provost, M. D.	3.00
C. H. Tucker, Surplus Food	12.00
Merrimack County, Surplus Food	38.21
B. J. Bishopric	75.00
Chester M. Wheeler, D. C. P. H. C.	15.00
Sarah E. Meade	184.00
Concord Hospital	320.95
Anne A. Wasson, M. D.	60.45

P. A. Boucher, M. D.	10.00
Eagle Convalescent Center	690.00
Fanaris' Rexall Pharmacy	40.60

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Total	\$4,778.78
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County Poor

Kendrick & Sons	\$1,513.00
Richard Labnon	17.90
Henniker Pharmacy	366.31
Francis Brown, M. D.	40.00
First National Stores	255.00
H. L. Holmes & Son	152.70
Henniker Square Market	84.90
Public Service Co. of N. H.	24.27
Howard E. Pratt, M. D.	7.00

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Total	\$2,461.08
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Memorial Day

Melbourne E. Christopher	\$200.00
Hydrant Rental	
Cogswell Spring Water Works, 1961 Appro.	\$1,500.00
Legal Expenses	
Robert W. Upton, on Flood Control Project	\$535.00
Taxes Bought By Town	
Charles H. Tucker, Collector	\$939.94

Refunds

Robert R. McNichol, Motor Vehicle Permit	\$3.80
L. S. Swinehart, Jr., Motor Vehicle Permit	5.60
Beatrice J. Caldwell, Motor Vehicle Permit	4.29
C. H. Tucker, Tax Sale	28.73
L. W. Whitney, on taxes	7.75
John M. McNamara, poll tax	2.00
Morrison Mills, on taxes	4.75
Adrian Lemire, on taxes	29.33

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Total	\$86.25
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### Interest

First National Bank of Hillsborough, long term notes	\$337.50
Concord National Bank, anticipation of taxes note	432.50
Total	<hr/> \$770.00

### Notes

Concord National Bank, anticipation of taxes note	\$30,000.00
First National Bank of Hillsborough, Engine house	1,000.00
First National Bank of Hillsborough, Fire Truck	1,000.00
First National Bank of Hillsborough, Grader	1,000.00
First National Bank of Hillsborough, International Truck	1,000.00
Total	<hr/> \$34,000.00

### State & County

State Treasurer, Head Tax	\$3,731.50
State Treasurer, Engineers Services	3,872.39
Donald G. Rainie, County Tax	8,828.91
Total	<hr/> \$16,432.80

### Henniker School District

Henniker School District, Balance 1960 Appropriation	\$14,000.00
Henniker School District, 1961 Appropriation	95,582.26
Total	<hr/> \$109,582.26

## AN APPEAL FROM YOUR FOREST FIRE WARDEN

In these days of constantly rising taxes and wages, any unnecessary expense is an added burden on everyone's pocket-book—yours and mine. Forest fires cost money and damage our valuable woodlands. Lightning sets some forest fires, but we have no control of lightning. Children cause many fires. Ninety-eight per cent of our forest fires result from human carelessness—our carelessness. This, we—you—and I can do something about.

When we require you to obtain a permit for out-of-doors burning or forbid you to burn on days of high fire danger or set up regulations—hours, etc., governing the use of the town dump we are simply protecting yours and the town's interests.

The ever present threat of forest fires is the concern of all of us; the responsibility for preventing them is ours and the costs of extinguishing are ours. We can do something about this problem, by being aware of and alert to the danger and by cooperating with your warden.

Do the things that are required of you—

1. Follow the warden's directions.
2. Secure the required burning permit.
3. Keep your fires under control.
4. Completely extinguish your fires before leaving them.
5. See that your children are properly cautioned.

Everyone will benefit by it.

### 1961 Fire Record

Number of fires	1	Number of permits issued	94
Number of acres burned	1/3		

Gerald H. Hight  
District Fire Chief

E. Benjamin Ayer  
Forest Fire Warden



## Health Officer's Report

January 5th — 1961

The past year the health of the Community has been good.

The water samples were taken and very good.

All complaints registered with me were investigated and remedied to the satisfaction of all concerned.

GEORGE M. PARMENTER, Sr.  
Health Officer

Selectmen:  
Town of Henniker,  
Henniker, N. H.

Dear Sirs,

Herewith is a report of the Health work which has been done in your community by the Bureau of Public Health Nursing of the New Hampshire State Department of Health in co-operation with your District Nursing Association.

### Immunization Clinics:

Number held	2
Total Attendance	102

### Polio Clinics:

Number held	2
Total Attendance	182

Very truly yours,

Gertrude J. Snow

Public Health Nurse  
Bureau of Public Health Nursing  
N. H. State Department of Health



MEMORIAL DAY STATEMENT — 1961

January 22, 1962

Receipts: Received from Town of Henniker \$200.00

Disbursements:

Hillsboro Deering Drum & Bugle Corps \$75.00

American Knitwear & Emblem Mfrs.

17 Doz. American Flags 42.50

Two speakers 10.00

Village Greenhouse, wreaths 12.00

Henniker Pharmacy, Hoodsie Cups 21.60

Henniker Square Market, tonic 16.00

Postage 5.64

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TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS 182.74

Davis-Woodman Post No. 78

Paid to Town Treasurer Balance due 17.26

Respectfully submitted,

Melbourne E. Christopher  
Finance Officer

# REPORT OF HENNIKER MUNICIPAL COURT

Diamond A. Maxwell, Justice

Robert W. Sterling, Special Justice

## Criminal Cases

Complaints entered during year	169
Felonies (all cases where jurisdiction limited to finding probable cause)	2
Violation of Town Ordinances	6
Violations of State Motor Vehicle Laws	151
Cases Respondent pleaded not guilty	13
Cases Respondent Found Not Guilty	2
Cases Nol Prossed	1
Cases Appealed	2

## Juvenile Cases

Cases of Delinquent children	2
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## Small Claims, Cases for

Small Claims pending December 31, 1960	NONE
Small Claims entered during year	19
Small Claims disposed of during Year	19
Small Claims on which judgement entered after hearing	1
Small Claims on which judgement on default	4
Small Claims otherwise disposed of	14
Small Claims pending December 31, 1961	NONE

ROBERT W. STERLING,  
Clerk

# FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF COURT

For the Year 1961

Cash on Hand January 1, 1961	\$ 21.87
Fines and Fees received during year	2,533.75
Bail received during year	2,605.00
Blank writs sold	1.00
Small Claim paid to court	4.64
Re-embursement of check	10.00

Total Receipts	<u>\$5,176.26</u>
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## Payments:

State of N. H. Motor Vehicles Dept. fines	\$1,475.10
State of N. H. Fish and Game Dept. fines	31.50
Merrimack County Superior Court	2,550.00
Town of Henniker (Treasurer) Part of Fines	800.00
N. H. Municipal Judges Assn., dues	10.00
Bail returned to defendant	25.00
Small claim paid through court	4.64
Miscellaneous Court Expenses	58.68

Total Payments	<u>\$4,954.92</u>
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Cash on Hand December 31, 1961	221.34
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	<u>\$5,176.26</u>
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ROBERT W. STERLING,

Clerk

# POLICE DEPARTMENT

## Expenses

### Wages:

Bernard F. Maillette	\$453.82	
Calvin L. Tucker	547.42	
Joseph G. Robidoux	319.99	
Ernest Bergh	208.61	
Richard Brown	136.99	
Ronald Garrison	72.15	
Charles Waters	47.70	
Walter Cleary	26.55	
Napoleon Damour	14.55	
John McGregor, Jr.	12.12	1,839.90

### Social Security

State Treasurer		84.74
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### Flasher Light

Public Service Company of New Hampshire		63.80
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### Telephone Net:

Contoocook Valley Telephone		10.70
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### Equipment:

Henniker Machine Co.	13.30	
Sanel Auto Parts	8.28	
Duane Williams	100.00	121.58

### Supplies:

Weger Governmental System Co.	52.60	
Edmunds Department Store	33.75	
Duncan Parking Meter Co.	24.35	
W. S. Darley Co.	68.19	
Astles Lumber Co.	3.30	
Henniker Pharmacy	3.55	185.74

### Miscellaneous:

Rock Garden (Feed Tramps)	5.44	
State Treasurer (Parking Signs)	28.80	34.24

Total	\$2,340.70	
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The following budget request for the coming year 1962 is two hundred dollars (\$200.00) more than was authorized in 1961. This increase is to be used mainly for the purchase of new equipment.

The future growth of New England College will at some time soon make it necessary for the Town of Henniker to maintain a full time police department. Possibly by purchasing some extra items of equipment now we can soften the financial burden of later equipping the department. In other words we can spread the cost over a period of years.

During the past year much of the activities of the police department concerned New England College. The fact that so many young boys and girls are turned loose here means that a great many problems will be created, such as traffic problems, parking problems, disturbing of the peace, and criminal violations of many types. All of these problems have to be handled on a part time basis at present.

It is not my desire to suggest the immediate transition to a full time department now, but rather to plan now for the possibility in the near future.

PROPOSED BUDGET 1962

Request the Town of Henniker to raise the sum of \$2,500.00 for the Police Department.

Breakdown as follows:

Summer traffic	\$ 475.00
Criminal Investigation	500.00
Accident Investigation	300.00
Telephone Net	175.00
Payment for Telephone Coverage	100.00
Halloween Patrol	75.00
Flasher Light	75.00
Equipment	300.00
Supplies	200.00
Parking Duty	300.00
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	\$2,500.00

# FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF WATER COMMISSIONERS, 1961

## Receipts:

Cash on hand, January 1, 1961	\$ 3,566.73
Water Rents collected	9,977.74
Hydrant Rental	1,500.00
Extensions	1,856.36
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	\$16,900.83

## Expenditures:

Concord National Bank, Interest on Bond	\$ 255.00
Concord National Bank, Payment on Bond	3,000.00
First National Bank, Hillsboro, Interest	70.00
First National Bank, Hillsboro, Payment on Note	500.00
State Treasurer, Social Security	113.12
O. D. Daniels, Salary & Labor	687.79
C. E. Damour, Salary & Labor	712.09
C. W. Edmunds Salary	242.50
H. M. Edmunds Salary & Postage	102.00
Public Service Co.	1,826.86
Henniker, Fuel Inc.	218.50
H. L. Holmes & Son, Insurance	112.00
J. E. Faltin, Express	7.15
Henniker Insurance Agency	31.00
Town of Henniker, gravel, use of truck etc.	42.10
B. J. Bishopric	20.63
Western Avenue Garage	358.71
Merrimack Farmers Exchange	8.09
City of Concord, N. H.	78.67
Hamilton Rumrill, Services	65.00
Curtis Rowe, labor	1,592.00
Public Utilities, duplicate blanks	1.50
Maxwell Press, stationery	11.15
Cold River Hot Mix Co.	54.54
Henniker Machine Co.	12.50



Anderson-Nichols, Engineer services (Govt.)	500.00
Edmunds Dept. Store-supplies-postage-freight	624.17
Hilco Supply Co.	42.46
Geo. A. Caldwell Co. Supplies	491.62
Bruce Caldwell, labor	5.08
James B. Smith, labor	12.00
Howard Judd, labor	32.01
H. R. Prescott & Sons	84.22
Upton, Sanders & Upton, legal services (Govt.)	100.00

Total expenditures	\$12,014.46
Cash on Hand, Dec. 31, 1961	4,886.37

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\$16,900.83

CLARENCE W. EDMUNDS,

Collector

## REPORT OF TREASURER OF

### COGSWELL SPRING WATER WORKS

Cash on Hand, December 31, 1960	\$ 3,566.73
C. W. Edmunds, Water rents	9,977.74
C. W. Edmunds, Extensions	1,856.36
C. W. Edmunds, Hydrant Rental	1,500.00

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Total receipts \$16,900.83

#### Expenditures:

Paid on orders of Water Co.	\$12,014.46
Cash on hand, December 31, 1961	4,886.37

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\$16,900.83

HATTIE M. EDMUNDS,

Treasurer

Water rents due Town	\$ 2,214.90
Extensions due Town	2,442.45

Outstanding Bonds, Concord National Bank	\$14,000.00
Outstanding Notes, First National Bank, Hillsboro	3,000.00

REPORT OF THE  
PUBLIC HEALTH AND SCHOOL NURSE

Health Services from January 1, 1961  
through  
December 31, 1961

General Visiting Service

2003 visits to give bedside care, injections, dressings, pre-natal, newborn, instructive, friendly and follow-up.

4 Patients accompanied in ambulance to Concord Hospital.

1 Patient accompanied from hospital to her home.

26 Patients taken to Doctors' offices, Dentists, in town, Hillsboro and Concord.

Assisted at three (3) blood drawings, one at Hillsboro, and two in town.

Sponsored by the State Board of Health, two Toxoid and Polio Clinics, were held in May, at the Central School. One in the A. M. for preschool and School Children. The second, was held in the evening, for adults, and those not able to attend in the A. M. The results of both clinics was as follows:

182 polio injections given

87 triple toxoid boosters injections given

17 Small pox vaccinations



# ANNUAL SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICE REPORT

1960 - 1961

220 pupils were examined by Doctor Francis Brown

Defects found:	No. of Cases:	Treatments:	Corrections
Dental Caries	49	32 cases being treated	
Tonsils & Ad.	3	3 cases had surgery	
Wax in ears	1	1 treated	
Orthopedic			
Dorsal Kyphosis	1	referred to clinic, for X-Ray and treatment	

## Report of School Nurse

Vision Tests	288
Hearing Tests	184
Inspections	289
Heights	289
Weights	289
First Aid	26
Children taken home ill	15

## Communicable diseases and vaccinations

Pupils successfully vac.	28
Measles	10
Mumps	6
Scarlet fever	4
Impetigo	5

The usual amount of colds and Virus. 82 home visits were made in regards to child health and follow-up.

Respectfully submitted,  
Mary A. Maillette, R. N.  
Public Health and School Nurse

## ANNUAL REPORT OF TUCKER FREE LIBRARY

### Trustees

Clarence Edmunds	1962	Anna L. Childs	1963
Silas A. Rowe	1962	Sarah J. Cogswell	1964
Stanley Bracy	1963	Diamond A. Maxwell	1964

Mrs. John H. Hollis, Librarian

Mr. John H. Hollis, Assistant Librarian

Fines for the year \$62.77.

Number of books purchased, youth 158.

Number of books purchased, adult 188.

Number of books received as gifts 50.

### Circulation

Juvenile	6340
Fiction	5307
Non-Fiction	1982
Magazines	1973

With the cooperation of Mrs. Harriette Ayer and the teachers in the kindergarten and elementary schools Tucker Free Library has a very successful 'story hour'.

The library still has the service from the 'Bookmobile' also free films from the State Library.

Respectfully submitted,  
MRS. JOHN H. HOLLIS.

# REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF TUCKER FREE LIBRARY

## Receipts:

Cash on hand, January 1, 1961	\$4,255.33
Town of Henniker, N. H.	1,000.00
Henniker Woman's Club	5.00
G. W. Tucker fund	2,121.83
D. W. & E. L. Cogswell Fund	309.70
L. A. Cogswell fund	517.97
A. V. Colby fund	8.25
A. D. Huntoon fund	40.00
H. B. Preston fund	201.71
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Total receipts	\$ 8,459.79

## Expenditures:

Mrs. John Hollis, Librarian	755.83
Mr. John Hollis, Asst. Librarian	464.86
Arthur Starr, labor	6.15
Cogswell Spring Water Works	177.50
Donald Algers, labor	10.00
Perron Bros. Co.	15.00
W. H. Rand, labor	41.50
Campbell & Hall	1,091.29
H. W. Wilson, Co.	41.50
Frontier Press	28.39
Moore-Cottrell Co.	69.25
Henniker Fuel Inc.	83.29
Doubleday & Co.	156.88
Public Service Co.	223.23
State Treas. Soc. Security	75.60
C. V. Telephone Co.	59.57
Edmunds Dept. Store	37.74
H. L. Holmes & Son	284.32
Arthur Shepard	1.00
Gaylord Bros.	33.15

Readers Digest Books	12.69
Maxwell Press	11.10
Service Charge, bank	1.21
B. J. Bishopric	16.45
Nat'l. Baseball Congress	1.25
Demers Library Supplies	26.39
R. R. Bowker Co.	8.50
Nat'l. Library week	2.50
C. W. Edmunds, postage	4.00
Gerrard Kriester, labor	46.29
American Heritage	11.75
Americana Corp.	6.00
Yankee, Inc.	3.00
Marshall Rowe	3.00
M. E. Christopher	46.55
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Total Expenses	\$3,863.36
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1961	4,596.43
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	\$8,459.79

CLARENCE W. EDMUNDS,  
Treasurer

## LEANDER A. COGSWELL ATHLETIC FIELD FUND

### Receipts

January 1, 1961. Balance available	\$ 697.85
Correction, see below *	— 47.16
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	\$ 650.69
Income, Amoskeag Savings Bank	130.35
Income, Mass. Inv. Trust	67.86
Income, Eaton & Howard Fund	24.00
Income, Fidelity Fund	15.60
Income, Puritan Fund	10.17
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	\$ 898.67

### Payments

Scott Parmenter, Mowing	\$ 8.75
Clerical Expense	1.40
Balance available	888.52
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	\$ 898.67

## LEANDER A. COGSWELL PARK FUND

### Receipts

January 1, 1961, Balance available *	\$ 94.31
Income from D. W. & E. L. Cogswell Fund (10%)	309.70
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	\$ 404.01

### Payments

Woodman Park:	
Electricity	\$ 16.76
Harry Hatch, Mowing and raking leaves	49.50
Arnold Hooper, Mowing	11.00
Cecil Wright, Labor and trucking	22.50
Clerical Expense	1.39
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	\$ 101.15

Community Park:

Arnold Hooper, Mowing and raking leaves	\$	50.00	
Insurance Claim, stone struck car		12.50	
Cecil Wright, Labor and trucking		19.25	\$ 81.75

Route #9 Triangle:

Arnold Hooper, Mowing and raking leaves	\$	25.50	\$ 25.50
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Balance available			\$ 195.61
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\$ 404.01

LEANDER A. COGSWELL AZALEA PARK FUND

Receipts

January 1, 1961, Balance available	\$	414.41
Correction, see Athletic Field Fund *	—	47.15

\$ 367.26

Income, Franklin Savings Bank	119.98
Income, Mass. Inv. Trust	67.86
Income, Eaton & Howard	24.00
Income, Fidelity Fund	15.60
Income, Puritan Fund	10.17

\$ 604.87

Payments

Gerard Kriester, Repair lights	\$	73.78
Harry Hatch, Mowing		36.75
Cecil Wright, Labor and trucking		20.25
Purchase of two picnic tables, @ \$20.00 each		40.00
Clerical expense		1.40
Balance available		432.69

\$ 604.87

\* Balance in checking account January 1, 1961, of \$94.31 belonged to the Leander A. Cogswell Park Fund, sum divided between Athletic Park Fund and Azalea Park Fund and credited General Park Fund.

### JAMES R. STRAW FUND

Balance on hand January 1, 1961		\$4,170.47
Received from Trustees of Trust Funds		2,791.13
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Available		\$6,961.60
Paid grader note	\$1,000.00	
Paid International note	1,000.00	
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		\$2,000.00
Balance on hand January 1, 1962		4,961.60

### FRANK J. CONSTANTINE FUND

Balance on hand January 1, 1961	\$ 1.90
Received from Trustees of Trust Funds	28.63
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Available	\$ 30.53
Paid, aid to Town poor	30.00
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Balance on hand January 1, 1962	\$ .53

### JAMES R. STRAW INCOME FUND

January 1, 1961, Balance Available	\$7,438.87
Deposited 40% of 1961 Income	1,860.76
Interest	302.03
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Balance on hand, December 31, 1961	\$9,601.66

Mechanics Savings Bank #19503

# Report of Trustees of Trust Funds for the Year Ending December 31, 1961

Date of Creation	Name of Fund	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1961	Income 1961	Expended 1961	Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1961
1903	George W. Tucker Fund						
		U. S. Bonds .....	\$ 2,000.00	\$ .....	\$ 50.00	\$ .....	\$ .....
		6 Savings Banks .....	10,672.74	.....	425.50	.....	.....
		1729 shrs. Mass. Inv. Trust	9,711.75	.....	694.31	.....	.....
		893 shrs. Eaton & Howard	5,991.06	.....	325.13	.....	.....
		208 shrs. N. E. Fund ....	1,996.37	.....	74.44	.....	.....
		25 shrs. Public Service Co. preferred stock @ 4.50..	2,512.50	.....	112.52	.....	.....
		186 shrs. N. H. Fire Ins.	6,755.65	.....	459.93	.....	.....
		Total for Fund .....	\$ 39,639.94	\$ .....	\$ 2,121.83	\$ 2,121.83	\$ .....
1920	Preston Library Fund						
		355 shrs. Boston Fund ..	\$ 3,000.00	\$ .....	\$ 201.71	\$ .....	\$ .....
		Mer. County Sav. Bank .	110.08	.....	.....	.....	.....
		Total for Fund .....	\$ 3,110.08	\$ .....	\$ 201.71	\$ 201.71	\$ .....
1920	D. W. & E. L. Cogswell Fund						
		U. S. Bonds .....	\$ 2,000.00	\$ .....	\$ 150.00	\$ .....	\$ .....
		2 Savings Banks .....	20,923.57	.....	992.42	.....	.....
		3355 shrs. Mass. Inv. Trust	15,900.70	.....	1,308.45	.....	.....
		313 shrs. Boston Fund ..	2,979.96	.....	177.93	.....	.....
		440 shrs. Eaton & Howard	2,995.53	.....	160.13	.....	.....
		365 shrs. New England Fund	3,499.08	.....	130.47	.....	.....
		25 shrs. Public Service Co. preferred stock @ 4.50..	2,512.50	.....	112.52	.....	.....
		473 shrs. Scudder, Stevens & Clark .....	5,007.69	.....	65.06	.....	.....
		Total for Fund .....	\$ 55,818.97	\$ .....	\$ 3,096.98	\$ 3,096.98	\$ .....



1922 James & Hannah F. Straw Fund

U. S. Bonds .....	\$	4,000.00	\$	100.00	\$	.....	\$	.....
Mer. County Sav. Bank ..		3,028.65		120.98		.....		.....
528 shrs. Fidelity Fund ..		5,998.50		205.92		.....		.....
74 shrs. Chem. Com Exchg.		3,515.00		192.40		.....		.....
323 shrs. Broad St. Invest Corp.		3,517.34		96.90		.....		.....

Total for Fund ..... \$20,059.49

1927 George H. Dodge Fund  
1925 John Proctor & Proctor Family

Cheshire Co. Sav. Bank ..	\$	500.00	\$	20.70	\$	20.70	\$	.....
4 Savings Banks .....	\$	9,218.68	\$	6,174.81	\$	.....	\$	.....
467 shrs. Mass. Inv. Trust.		2,505.80		182.13		.....		.....
600 shrs. Eaton & Howard		4,026.25		218.63		.....		.....
173 shrs. Fidelity Fund ..		1,994.85		67.47		.....		.....
282 shrs. Puritan Fund ..		2,497.00		.....		.....		.....

Total for Fund ..... \$ 20,242.58

1929 L. A. Cogswell Athletic Field

Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	\$	2,287.60	\$	130.35	\$	.....	\$	.....
174 shrs. Mass. Inv. Trust..		994.95		67.86		.....		.....
65 shrs. Eaton & Howard .		515.36		24.00		.....		.....
40 shrs. Fidelity Fund ..		488.25		15.60		.....		.....
113 shrs. Puritan Fund ..		998.80		10.17		..-/-		.....

Total for Fund ..... \$ 5,284.96

1929 L. A. Cogswell Azalea Park

Franklin Sav. Bank .....	\$	2,287.67	\$	119.98	\$	.....	\$	.....
174 shrs. Mass. Inv. Trust		994.95		67.86		.....		.....
65 shrs. Eaton & Howard ..		515.36		24.00		.....		.....
40 shrs. Fidelity Fund ..		488.25		15.60		.....		.....
113 shrs. Puritan Fund ..		998.00		10.17		.....		.....

Total of Fund ..... \$ 5,284.97

# Report of Trustees of Trust Funds for the Year Ending December 31, 1961 (Continued)

Date of Creation	Name of Fund	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1961	Income 1961	Expended 1961	Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1961
1929	L. A. Cogswell Library Fund	3 Savings Banks .....	\$ 4,244.16	\$ .....	\$ 248.37	\$ .....	\$ .....
		367 shrs. Mass. Inv. Trust	1,989.90	.....	143.13	.....	.....
		291 shrs. Eaton & Howard.	1,997.02	.....	106.13	.....	.....
		223 shrs. Puritan Fund ..	1,997.60	.....	20.34	.....	.....
		Total of Fund .....	\$ 10,208.68	\$ .....	\$ 517.97	\$ 517.97	\$ .....
1931	L. A. Cogswell High School Fund	3 Savings Banks .....	\$ 12,852.79	\$ 7,977.99	\$ 946.04	\$ 2,451.68	\$ 7,561.02
		1137 shrs. Mass. Inv. Trust	6,006.55	.....	443.43	.....	.....
		893 shrs. Eaton & Howard	5,991.06	.....	325.13	.....	.....
		365 shrs. New England Fund	3,499.08	.....	130.47	.....	.....
		42 shrs. 1st Nat'l Bank, Boston .....	1,927.50	.....	138.79	.....	.....
		565 shrs. Puritan Fund ..	4,994.00	.....	50.85	.....	.....
		Total of Fund .....	\$ 35,270.98	\$ 7,977.99	\$ 2,034.71	\$ 2,451.68	\$ 7,561.02
1935	Frank J. Constantine Fund	Cheshire Co. Sav. Bank..	\$ 1,446.45	\$ .....	\$ 28.63	\$ 28.63	.....
1935	James R. Straw Fund	U. S. Bonds .....	\$ 21,000.00	\$ .....	\$ 525.00	\$ .....	.....
		4 Savings Banks .....	\$ 14,715.65	\$ .....	586.08	\$ .....	.....
		2805 shrs. Mass. Inv. Trust	11,856.00	.....	1,093.95	.....	.....
		643 shrs. Boston Fund ..	5,242.50	.....	365.39	.....	.....
		1002 shrs. Eaton & Howard	5,748.00	.....	364.88	.....	.....
		1196 shrs. Fidelity Fund	13,545.45	.....	466.44	.....	.....
		260 shrs. New England Fund	2,489.73	.....	92.94	.....	.....

115 shrs. Public Service preferred stock @ 3.35	8,747.50	.....	385.25	.....	.....
127 shrs. Public Service preferred stock @ 4.50	13,201.00	.....	571.52	.....	.....
79 shrs. Chase Man. Bank.	3,937.50	.....	195.64	.....	.....
12 shrs. Fort Worth Transit	120.00	.....	4.80	.....	.....
Total for Fund .....	\$100,603.33	\$.....	\$ 4,651.89	\$ 4,651.89	\$.....
1938 Alice V. Colby Fund Hills. Guar'y Sav. Bank ..	\$ 300.00	\$.....	8.25	8.25	\$.....
1943 Huntoon Memorial Library Fund Merchants Savings Bank..	\$ 1,000.00	\$.....	40.00	40.00	\$.....
1903 Cemetery Funds 3 Savings Banks .....	\$ 8,595.10	\$.....	330.84	.....	\$.....
367 shrs. Mass. Inv. Trust	1,989.90	.....	143.13	.....	.....
440 shrs. Eaton & Howard.	2,995.53	.....	160.13	.....	.....
217 shrs. Fidelity Fund ..	2,497.05	.....	84.63	.....	.....
105 shrs. Bank of America	4,087.50	.....	200.00	.....	.....
Total for Fund .....	\$ 20,165.08	\$.....	\$ 918.73	\$ 918.73	\$.....
1957 Annie M. Blaisdell Fund Mer. County Sav. Bank ..	\$ 500.00	\$ 528.24	\$ 42.13	\$ 9.00	\$ 561.37
1952 Max Israel Scholarship Fund Mer. County Sav. Bank ..	\$ 2,733.72	\$.....	163.11	.....	.....
	83.20	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for Fund .....	\$ 2,816.92	\$.....	\$ 163.11	\$ 163.11	\$ 12.06
				(interest withheld)	
TOTAL OF ALL FUNDS DRAWING INTEREST .....					\$321,702.55

## DETAILED TABLE OF CEMETERY TRUSTS

Funds left to the town, the income to be used for the care of designated lots in Henniker cemeteries — all income turned over to the Henniker Cemetery Association for administration.

Name of Fund	Principal	Annual Income	Location of Lot
Albert C. Clark .....	\$ 100.00	\$ 4.63	New
Nathan Carter .....	100.00	4.63	"
Mark Dustin .....	100.00	4.63	"
Addie F. Cogswell .....	50.00	2.31	"
Sarah P. Richardson .....	250.00	11.57	"
Jennie F. Nutter .....	75.00	3.47	"
Nahum Newton .....	50.00	2.31	"
Fannie F. Whitcomb .....	100.00	4.63	"
Fidelia H. Carter .....	100.00	4.63	"
Edwin B. Howe .....	100.00	4.63	"
William D. Harwood .....	100.00	4.63	"
Georgianna Patterson .....	200.00	9.26	"
Sarah W. Pillsbury .....	150.00	6.94	"
Levi S. Connor .....	100.00	4.63	"
Warren Sanborn .....	70.00	3.24	"
Seth W. Straw .....	100.00	4.63	"
Mercie B. Bacon .....	50.00	2.31	"
Almedia Felch .....	100.00	4.63	"
R. M. Dowlin .....	100.00	4.63	"
Levi C. Newton .....	100.00	4.63	"
Josephine S. Colby .....	100.00	4.63	"
Franklin C. Goss .....	100.00	4.63	"
George A. Eastman .....	200.00	9.26	"
Jennie C. Allison .....	100.00	4.63	"
Fannie W. Whitcomb .....	100.00	4.63	"
John H. Savage .....	50.00	2.31	"
Zadok Dustin .....	100.00	4.63	"
Frank A. Connor .....	100.00	4.63	"
Edgar M. Clough .....	100.00	4.63	"
Henry E. Merrick .....	50.00	2.31	"
Betsey J. Colby .....	100.00	4.63	"
Timothy Peaslee .....	300.00	13.89	"
Charles L. Matthews .....	100.00	4.63	"
Alma P. Shepard .....	100.00	4.63	"
George R. McAllister .....	100.00	4.63	"
Alilian C. Wheeler .....	100.00	4.63	"
William F. Raymond .....	100.00	4.63	"
Joseph H. Wescomb .....	150.00	6.94	"
Ada C. Dodge .....	100.00	4.63	"
J. Madison Colby .....	100.00	4.63	"
E. J. and L. K. Kilburn .....	50.00	2.31	"
Mary E. Flanders .....	200.00	9.26	"

# DETAILED TABLE OF CEMETERY TRUST (Cont'd)

Name of Fund	Principal	Annual Income	Location of Lot
James B. Phillips .....	\$ 100.00	\$ 4.63	New
Albert H. Chase .....	100.00	4.63	"
Lizzie H. Andrews .....	100.00	4.63	"
Hattie M. Chase .....	100.00	4.63	"
Hattie M. Chase (Follansbee lot) .	100.00	4.63	"
Samuel K. Page .....	100.00	4.63	"
Eva M. Barnes .....	50.00	2.31	"
William F. Flanders .....	150.00	6.94	"
Ellon R. Bacon .....	100.00	4.63	"
Amie L. Bacon .....	100.00	4.63	"
Charles E. Favor .....	100.00	4.63	"
Ella P. Manchester .....	100.00	4.63	"
Andrew P. Favor .....	50.00	2.31	"
Lilla J. Howe .....	50.00	2.31	"
Mary C. Eaton .....	100.00	4.63	"
Sarah M. Childs .....	100.00	4.63	"
F. H. & R. E. Straw .....	100.00	4.63	"
Georgia E. Witherill .....	100.00	4.63	"
Hattie W. Messer .....	100.00	4.63	"
George C. Patterson .....	100.00	4.63	"
Frank J. Peabody .....	100.00	4.63	"
Mary Farrar .....	100.00	4.63	"
Ira Connor .....	70.00	3.24	"
Charles T. Matthews .....	70.00	3.24	"
Ida O. Atkinson .....	50.00	2.31	"
William H. Bean .....	100.00	4.63	"
George H. Drew .....	100.00	4.63	"
Harrison B. Morrell .....	100.00	4.63	"
Charles H. Corser .....	50.00	2.31	"
Thomas W. Sargent .....	100.00	4.63	"
Harrison Colby .....	100.00	4.63	"
John Brady .....	100.00	4.63	"
Albert E. Choate .....	100.00	4.63	"
Edward B. Lawrence .....	100.00	4.63	"
Charles W. Martin .....	300.00	13.89	"
George W. Rice .....	100.00	4.63	"
James G. Rice .....	100.00	4.63	"
Jacob & Harrison Rice .....	100.00	4.63	"
Edward G. Flanders .....	100.00	4.63	"
Fred W. Shelton .....	100.00	4.63	"
H. F. & A. R. Corser .....	100.00	4.63	"
Jacob Gordon .....	100.00	4.63	"
Lillian F. Hale .....	100.00	4.63	"
John T. Falvey .....	50.00	2.31	"
Bowen Family .....	100.00	4.63	"
Fitz H. Corser .....	100.00	4.63	"
Whittemore-Currier .....	100.00	4.63	"
William Bishopric .....	100.00	4.63	"

# DETAILED TABLE OF CEMETERY TRUST (*Cont'd*)

Name of Fund	Principal	Annual Income	Location of Lot
Bion E. Gale .....	75.00	3.47	"
A. D. Huntoon .....	\$ 100.00	\$ 4.63	New
John H. Brown .....	50.00	2.31	"
Myron J. Presby .....	75.00	3.47	"
Ida M. Barnes .....	300.00	13.89	"
S. Q. A. Newton .....	100.00	4.63	"
Amie L. Bacon (Additional) .....	100.00	4.63	"
Heman D. Patterson .....	100.00	4.63	"
George P. Farrar .....	100.00	4.63	"
Clark-Oleneck .....	100.00	4.63	"
E. D. & R. B. Wallace .....	200.00	9.26	"
Wells Davis .....	100.00	4.63	"
Julie A. Lewis .....	200.00	9.26	"
A. M. Ingersoll .....	100.00	4.63	"
Daniel Cate .....	100.00	4.63	"
Willis Robbins .....	100.00	4.63	"
E. C. Steele .....	5.03	.23	"
W. O. & J. F. Flanders .....	200.00	9.26	"
M. Elizabeth Whitcomb .....	100.00	4.63	"
Walter O. Connor .....	200.00	9.26	"
Mary L. Wiggan .....	100.00	4.63	"
George A. Colby .....	100.00	4.63	"
Fred A. Leavitt .....	150.00	6.94	"
Fred N. Webster .....	50.00	2.31	"
Herbert C. Hoyt .....	50.00	2.31	"
Ida B. Morse .....	100.00	4.63	"
Patten Bennett .....	100.00	4.63	"
Frank L. Chase .....	100.00	4.63	"
Herbert W. & Flora Carnes .....	200.00	9.26	"
A. G. Preston .....	50.15	2.31	"
John W. & Annie M. Cochrane ...	150.00	6.94	"
Mattie A. Peaslee .....	200.00	9.26	"
Wilbur Blaisdell .....	150.00	6.94	"
Charles F. Cogswell .....	100.00	4.63	"
Almus W. Morse .....	200.00	9.26	"
Addie I. Stevens .....	700.00	32.41	"
George H. Dodge .....	75.00	3.47	"
James H. Flanders .....	50.00	2.31	"
Grant Brown .....	50.00	2.31	"
Ephraim P. Goss .....	100.00	4.63	"
Lillian Herrick .....	100.00	4.63	"
William H. Gilmore .....	100.00	4.63	Old
J. Willis Plummer .....	100.00	4.63	"
William Osborne .....	50.00	2.31	"
Levi Colby Family .....	50.00	2.31	"
Jessie M. Fisher .....	200.00	9.26	"
Julia A. Lewis .....	200.00	9.26	"
Ed & Nellie Hemphill .....	200.00	9.26	"



# DETAILED TABLE OF CEMETERY TRUST (Cont'd)

Name of Fund	Principal	Annual Income	Location of Lot
Ida Mae Gibson .....	200.00	9.26	Old
Edna Dean Proctor .....	200.00	9.26	"
Almira Cook .....	50.00	2.31	"
Sarah M. Morse .....	100.00	4.63	"
Mary C. Wadsworth .....	50.00	2.31	"
Rufus T. Howe .....	200.00	9.26	"
George W. Tucker .....	100.00	4.63	"
Mary S. Cogswell .....	100.00	4.63	"
Charles Bowman .....	50.00	2.31	"
Georgianna Patterson .....	200.00	9.26	"
Elizabeth P. Gove .....	200.00	9.26	"
Margaret Douglas .....	100.00	4.63	"
Mary Marsh .....	100.00	4.63	"
E. C. & L. I. Black .....	100.00	4.63	"
C. & J. H. George .....	100.00	4.63	"
E. & E. Hemphill .....	100.00	4.63	"
Joshus Darling .....	100.00	4.63	"
Moses J. Brown .....	100.00	4.63	"
Wallace Family .....	150.00	6.94	"
Caroll T. Rogers .....	500.00	23.15	"
Lucy S. Connor .....	200.00	9.26	Goss
Levi S. Connor .....	100.00	4.63	"
John M. Chase .....	100.00	4.63	"
George W. Plummer .....	200.00	9.26	Plum
Cowdry Fund .....	50.00	2.31	"
Ira Plummer .....	50.00	2.31	"
Parker P. Patch .....	80.26	3.60	"
Betsey Flanders .....	100.00	4.63	"
Willis G. Buxton .....	300.00	13.89	Friends
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Original Funds Invested ...	\$19,745.44		
Total Capital Gains .....	419.64		
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Total .....	\$20,165.08		
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Total to Cemetery Asso'n., 1961..			\$918.73

## REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD

The Planning Board met twelve times during the year. Several of these meetings were with representatives of the State Highway Department to review plans for roads now under construction and to check the adequacy of access to the new Route 202 at Robert Morses and at Route 114.

After numerous meetings in the past, with various groups, the Board recommended the formation of a Recreation Commission, to organize, develop, and supervise a program of community recreational activities. It would seem desirable that the community should give this suggestion some attention at Town Meeting.

There has been considerable interest in new industry for Henniker. During the past several years the Board has sought the advice of those versed in this field. The problem has been discussed with Colonel Albert Baker of the Concord Chamber of Commerce, with several members of the State Planning and Development Commission, and with Mr. William J. Roy, analyst for the State Department of Employment Security.

Mr. Roy made several studies of the seven town area of Hopkinton, Hillsboro, Henniker, Warner, Weare, Bradford, and Deering. These studies, made in 1961, were based on 1960 figures and showed that unemployment at Henniker was of the order of about two and one-half percent, while the Concord area was about three, and the national average between four and five percent. A second study showed that there were eighty-six applicants for work in the area, and that most of these were male and unskilled.

This low rate of unemployment is attested to, in part, by remarks of townspeople who at various times have expressed an inability to hire help locally.

It has been pointed out that new industry, gravi-



tates to those areas where there is ample manufacturing space, where there is a favorable community attitude, and where active promotional work is being done.

Primarily, the most important feature is the availability of surplus labor. Additional factors are good roads, nearby air facilities, convenience to recreational areas, favorable tax climate, and ample community facilities such as water, housing, schools, parking, et cetera.

The working population of Henniker has been estimated at 640. Of these about 5% could be considered under employed, meaning they would consider better working conditions and/or pay.

A rough study of an industry employing about fifty people, twenty-five of whom might be estimated to be from new families moving to town, indicates that the cost of additional school facilities might be considerably greater than the income from taxes.

These facts suggest that the answer is the slow acquisition of small industries that would not tax our available facilities and would not require the importation of labor. We are in an excellent position to profit from the spillover from such industrial areas as Manchester, Concord, and Keene, while also profiting by the growth of New England College.

In view of the measure of prosperity now enjoyed by our community, attested to by low unemployment and improved appearance of property, it is recommended that no aggressive action to seek new industry be taken at this time.

However, should the Town desire aggressive action now, it is suggested that a committee be created and funded to proceed with the job of promoting industry for Henniker.

Several other matters might well be considered at Town Meeting. One of these problems, which has recently become mandatory, is the location of a new

town dump. Another, if the Town has any choice in the matter, is the location of a site for the new Post Office.

The Board cooperates with other community organizations and works with New England College personnel in order to continue the task of plotting community facilities.

It would not seem proper to conclude this report without publicly thanking Tom Cullen for his past efforts in behalf of the Planning Board.

Members of the Board are: Harry Hatch, Selectman; Victor Kjellman, Chairman; Ben Weeden, Secretary; Henry Hope; Merle Patenaude, Junior; George Wilkins.

VICTOR H. KJELLMAN

## STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

### SCHOOL WARRANT

To the inhabitants of the School District in the town of Henniker qualified to vote in District affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Cogswell School Auditorium in said District on the 13th. day of March, 1962 at 1:00 P. M. to act upon the following subjects:

Polls open at 1:00 P. M. and close at 8:00 P. M.

Articles in Warrant will be taken up at 7:00 P. M.

1. To choose all necessary officers for the ensuing year.
2. To hear reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees or Officers chosen and take action relating thereto.
3. To choose Agents, Auditors, and Committees in relation to any subject in this warrant.
4. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officers and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid fund, together with other income: the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

5. To see if the district will authorize the school board to make application for and receive in the name of the district, such advances grants-in-aid or other funds for educational purposes as may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the U. S. Government and/or State Agencies.

6. To see if the Henniker School District will vote to authorize the construction of an addition to the Henniker Cogswell Memorial High School.

7. To see if the Henniker School District will vote to appropriate \$110,000 or such sum as the district may determine, for the construction and equipment of an addition to the Cogswell Memorial School.

8. To see if the Henniker School District will vote to authorize the school board to issue serial notes or bonds in the amount of \$110,000 or such sum as the district may determine, for the construction and equipment of an addition to the Cogswell Memorial School, and to authorize the school board to determine the time and place of payment and the rate of interest on such notes or bonds, to provide for the sale thereto and to do any and all such acts as they may deem necessary to the issuance, in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act—N. H. Revised Statutes Annotated, Chapter 33 and any amendments thereto.

13. To see if the Henniker School District will vote to elect a building committee.

14. To see if the Henniker School District will vote to authorize the school board, acting on the advice of the building committee, to enter into all contracts necessary for the construction and equipment of the addition to the Cogswell Memorial School.

15. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands this                      day of February,  
1962 at Henniker, N. H.

W. GORDON DUNNING,  
EDWARD J. HATLACK,  
School Board

A true copy of Warrant — Attest:

W. GORDON DUNNING,  
MERLE A. PATENAUDE,  
EDWARD J. HATLACK,  
School Board

## REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Members of the School Board of the Henniker School District:  
During the 1960 — 1961 School Year the following teachers were employed:

Teacher	Training	Year of Graduation	Salary
Mrs. Evelyn L. Woollett, Principal	K. T. C.	1942	\$5000.00
Mr. Eugene H. Lord, Science and Math	U. N. H.	1917	4100.00
Mrs. Carolyn D. Lewis, (Part Time) French	U. N. H.	1927	1600.00
Mrs. Marion T. Chase, (Part Time) Junior High	Middlebury	1931	2400.00
Mr. Raymond M. Demars, Shop	K. T. C.	1958	4600.00
Mr. Robert J. Scully, English & Social Studies	St. Anselm's	1958	3800.00
Mr. John Fessenden, Social Studies	K. T. C.	1960	3800.00
Mrs. Grace Cody, Home Making	K. T. C.	1959	3900.00
Miss Jean L. Babson, Commercial	U. N. H.	1958	4200.00
Mr. Hugh W. Connor (Part Time) Physical Education	U. N. H.		1000.00
Mrs. Virginia S. Garlow, Music	B. U.		1050.00

### HENNIKER GRADED SCHOOL

Mrs. Edith B. Hadley, Grade 1	K. T. C.	1943	\$3800.00
Mrs. Nina S. Buxton, Grade 2	K. T. C.	1943	3800.00
Mrs. Blanche E. Robinson, Grade 3	P. T. C.	1936	3800.00
Mrs. Louise R. Faulkner, Grade 4	Wheelock	1925	3800.00
Mrs. Evelyn H. Beane, Principal, Grade 5	K. T. C.	1918	3900.00
Mrs. Margaret N. Damour	P. T. C.	1925	3800.00
Mrs. Roberta McNamara, Helping Teacher	P. T. C.	1950	1600.00



## 1961 — HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

Thomas Bassett	Barbara Howes
Stephen Bennett	Welton McKean
Janet Bergh	Edith McNeal
Robert Brown	Richard Michener, Jr.
Carol Connor	Lois Morse
Ann Damour	Diane Patenaude
Karen Danforth	Barbara Paquin
Agnes Farrar	Donald Peasley
Bruce Garrison	Ruel Taylor
Wesley Herrick	Bernard Walker

Shirley Wing

## SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY

Bradford	\$ 412.25
Henniker	1094.83
Hopkinton	1927.80
Newbury	481.55
Sutton	370.46
Warner	940.28
Webster	272.83
Local Share	\$5500.00
State's Share	3000.00
Total Salary	\$8500.00



## HENNIKER SCHOOL DISTRICT

### Superintendent's Report

When the 1961-62 school year started I felt quite pleased that there were only two changes in the teaching staff. Mrs. Hazel Gilbert had replaced Mrs. Louise Faulkner in the elementary school and Mr. Robert Gauthier had replaced Mr. John Fessenden in the high school. Just before school opened the woman who had agreed to take over high school music moved to Keene and Mr. Gauthier was called into service with the Air National Guard for October 1st. Shortly after this Mrs. Evelyn Woollett told me that she would be unable to finish the year. She actually stayed until just before Christmas, although she would have preferred to leave before Thanksgiving. Mrs. Carol Ann Brown was employed to replace Mr. Gauthier and Mr. Theodore Gladu took over as principal of the high school two days before Christmas vacation. Although he had been employed by the board the latter part of October he had to wait until his successor arrived at Milford.

Immediately after the school meeting in March 1961 a study committee began to study the housing conditions at the high school. This committee, composed of Lester Connor, Chairman, Harry Hatch, Secretary, Victor Kjellman, Edward Damour, Harold Ayer, Gordon Dunning, Merle Patenaude and Edward Hatlack held many meetings all during the summer and fall and completed a report to present to the school district meeting, special or regular. The report was held up while effort was made to see if assistance could be received from the Cogswell Benevolent Trust in Manchester, which could make a significant financial contribution to the building committee's proposal. As of this moment nothing has been heard from the Trustees of the Cogswell Fund.

Through the cooperation of New England College courses have been held on Saturday for exceptional high school students. The first semester courses were offered in Calculus,

Electronics and Chemistry. In addition to these Biology, Modern Math and Organic Chemistry are being offered the second semester. These courses have in effect broadened our high school curriculum and offered our better high school pupils an opportunity to work on a more challenging level than is ordinarily found on the high school level. New England College and Dr. Danforth should be congratulated in helping us institute this fine opportunity for our young people.

This has been a difficult year due to interruption in our teaching staff. I believe I have now located a music teacher which means that we remain a comprehensive high school. There is no question but what each year the State Department of Education, with their tightening of minimum standards, are making it more and more difficult and expensive to remain a comprehensive high school.

I wonder how long the state is going to raise the standards for the high schools and not provide the money to meet these standards. School districts can't add full time physical education teachers, guidance teachers, certified librarians for schools, and add new courses to the curriculum without some other source of income besides a property tax. I am afraid it will be done until you, the people, demand a broad base tax to support our schools.

William C. Sterling  
Superintendent of Schools

## HENNIKER SCHOOL DISTRICT

### Building Committee Report

As a result of the last Henniker School District meeting, a committee was formed to study the crowded conditions at Cogswell Memorial High School. The following people are members of the committee: Lester Connor, Chairman, Harry Hatch, Secy., Victor Kjellman, Edward Damour, Harold Ayer and School Board Members, Gordon Dunning, Merle Patenaude and Edward Hatlack. Mrs. Evelyn Woollett, Principal of Cogswell Memorial High School, and William C. Sterling, Superintendent of Schools, have served as non-voting members of the committee.

Since the School Study Committee was requested to prepare a report not later than the annual school meeting of March 1962, the committee has been working on the study throughout the spring, summer and fall.

At one of the first meetings, Mr. Paul Farnum, Deputy Commissioner of Education, and an expert on school building construction, was present. A thorough study of the present building was made in terms of the school program which must be offered by a comprehensive high school. In view of this study, the conclusion was reached that any addition or alterations of the high school must provide additional space for the following reasons:

1. The size of the present classrooms are inadequate for the present enrollment (Actual areas of present classrooms were printed in the Superintendent's Report in the Henniker Town Report of December 31, 1958)

2. The new highway and the growth of New England College foreshadows increased enrollment in the Henniker Schools.

The committee feels the following are basic mini-

mum needs to be included in any addition to the high school:

a. A shop area of at least 2400 square feet with outside doors wide enough to permit cars to be driven into the shop.

b. A science room of at least 1200 square feet for laboratory experiments as well as classroom space.

c. A language room of 800 square feet.

d. An art education room of 900 square feet which may also be used as a classroom.

e. A room to be used as a school library exclusively.

f. A room for guidance.

g. A commercial area for typing and classroom work.

Having reached these conclusions, the committee felt that they needed professional engineering advice to see how these facilities could be added in a way which would be most beneficial to Henniker. A number of architects were interviewed and Mr. Norman Randlett of Laconia was selected by the committee to assist them in drawing up a plan to present to the school district.

## PROPOSAL OF BUILDING

After studying various possibilities of solving Henniker's School District's need for more space, the committee is recommending the following proposal of building a one story addition on the library side of the high school.

This plan will provide for:

1. A new shop providing 2400 square feet of space.

2. A new science room of 1200 square feet.

3. Toilet area which may be used by the public giving more privacy for teams.

4. One language classroom of 800 square feet.

5. One classroom of 800 square feet.
6. A health room and guidance room with a common waiting room.
7. Renovation of the old shop into a typing room and a business education room.
8. Tearing out the wall between the teacher's room and english room and converting this space into a library.
9. Excavating under the stage to provide extra storage space for athletic supplies, music and shop storage. (This excavation will be about a foot and a half to two feet).
10. Change in High School heating system.

This proposal will cost from \$100,000 to \$110,000.

The Committee held eleven meetings during 1961. At the last meeting on Feb. 6, 1962, by unanimous vote of the members present, voted, the Committee recommend that an addition to the present High School, be built according to the plan submitted by Mr. Norman Randlett.

Harry C. Hatch, Sec. Study Committee

#### PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

The problems that exist in the high school are essentially the same as they were a year ago. The crowded conditions under which the students are forced to work have not been improved. The shop area is considered as one of these, due to the close proximity of the machines and a dearth of work benches. The business courses are conducted in such small rooms that we are forced to schedule extra classes in similar subject areas, thereby reducing the number of courses that could be taught by the same teachers. The study halls are overcrowded because we cannot offer more courses. The boys are in great need of an adequate dressing room, situated apart



from the area used by the general public during sports activities. There are not enough classrooms in the building to provide areas in which additional subjects could be taught adequately. The new standards for comprehensive high schools in this state will require in the immediate future that additional subjects be added to our basic minimal curriculum.

I have observed that there is a great need for additional storage space for chairs, books, and athletic equipment. The chairs for the gymnasium are now stored in the girls' facilities. Eighty-three students are attempting to study General Science this year without any laboratory facilities. General Science is one-fourth of the total academic program for the Junior High School students. A different approach to this problem could only call for larger facilities.

It would be taxing to your patience to list other important changes that are necessary. With continued increased enrollment in high school, few drop-outs, and increased requirements, it does seem logical that expanded school facilities are a must. To put off expansion now is to hamper the educational opportunities that must be offered the children of Henniker at a time when knowledge is so important in their lives.

I am very happy to have the opportunity of serving your children and only wish that there was more that I could do for them. I greatly appreciate the cooperation and assistance of the fine teachers on the staff and the wholesome welcome I have encountered thus far in my stay here in Henniker. I especially wish to thank the students for the fine way in which they are participating in school life.

THEODORE E. GLADU,  
Principal

HENNIKER SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM  
Financial Statement  
July 1, 1960 to June 30, 1961

Cash on hand July 1, 1960	\$ 390.56
Receipts for year	
Sale of Lunches — Children	\$6,276.84
Sale of Lunches — Adults	54.25
Reimbursement (Federal Aid)	1,262.13
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Total Receipts	\$7,593.22
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Income for year	\$7,983.78

Expenditures

Food	\$4,003.09
Labor	2,198.00
Equipment	28.95
Misc. (Gas, small Equipment)	742.17
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Total Expenditures	\$6,972.21
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Balance on hand June 30, 1961	\$1,011.57

Balance Sheet

Assets		
Cash in Bank	\$1,011.57	
Reimbursement due	128.47	
Food inventory	508.93	
Supplies inventory	28.90	
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Total Assets	\$1,666.86	
Total liabilities and working capital		\$1,666.86



## SCHOOL LUNCH REPORT

The School Lunch Program was in operation from September 19, 1960 to May 16, 1961. During this time there was a total of 21,089 children served and 130 adults. The daily average of which was 143.

We were fortunate in having fresh fruit and vegetables donated to us by people having a surplus in their gardens last fall. For these we are thankful as they not only help our budget, but add variety to our menus.

The lunch room was painted during the year by volunteer members of the P.T.G. They also provided drapes for the dining room windows, making it a little more cheerful for the children. A garbage disposal was installed in the kitchen by the board.

My sincere thanks to the parents, teachers, board and especially the grade school teachers for their fine cooperation and many extra steps and time spent in making this year a successful one.

Respectfully submitted,  
Ercel E. Sterling, Manager

# HENNIKER SCHOOL BUDGET — 1962-1963

## EXPENDITURES

### ADMINISTRATION

	Financial Report 1960-1961	Adopted Budget 1961-1962	Revised Budget 1961-1962	Budget 1962-1963
Salaries of district officers .....	\$ 350.00	\$ 350.00	\$ 350.00	\$ 350.00
Superintendent's salary .....	1,891.23	2,137.34	2,137.34	2,054.16
Tax for state-wide supervision .....	592.00	600.00	604.00	634.00
Salaries of other adm. personnel .....	180.00	180.00	180.00	180.00
Supplies and expenses .....	237.52	250.00	250.00	250.00

### INSTRUCTION

Teachers' & Principal's salaries .....	60,525.47	64,000.00	63,500.00	69,900.00
Books and instructional aids .....	1,146.26	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,200.00
Scholars supplies .....	3,035.64	2,700.00	2,700.00	2,700.00
Supplies and other expenses .....	768.93	700.00	700.00	700.00

### OPERATION OF SCHOOL PLANT

Salaries of Custodians .....	2,996.73	3,600.00	3,600.00	3,600.00
Fuel .....	3,502.68	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
Water, light, supplies and expenses .....	2,295.93	2,000.00	2,300.00	2,300.00

### MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL PLANT

Repairs and replacements .....	4,363.51	1,703.00	3,300.00	3,000.00
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### AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES

Health supervision .....	267.47	300.00	300.00	300.00
Transportation .....	8,730.00	8,730.00	9,270.00	10,000.00
Tuition .....	661.00	675.00	268.00	457.00
Special activities & funds .....	216.20	500.00	500.00	500.00
School lunch and special milk .....	1,294.72	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00

<b>FIXED CHARGES</b>			
Janitor .....	205.00	205.00	205.00
Retirement & Social Security (teachers) .....	4,434.18	4,800.00	5,700.00
Insurance, treas., bonds, & expenses .....	769.84	700.00	800.00
<b>CONTINGENCY FUND</b>		1,000.00	1,000.00
Total Current Expenses .....	97,735.83	100,827.34	110,330.16
<b>CAPITAL OUTLAY</b>			
New equipment .....	1,356.68	2,200.00	1,500.00
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL OUTLAY</b>			
<b>RECEIPTS</b>			
Balance (actual or estimated) .....	41.31	431.68	112.00
Federal aid .....	1,825.56	2,000.00	2,000.00
Trust Funds * .....	4,532.78	4,000.00	4,000.00
High School Tuition .....	1,545.02	675.00	
Elementary School Tuition .....	240.00		
Other .....	445.00	300.00	3,00.00
Total receipts other than property taxes .....	\$ 8,629.67	\$ 7,406.68	\$ 6,412.00
Dist. Assessment raised or to be raised by property taxes .....	\$ 91,448.92	\$ 95,620.66	\$ 105,418.16
Total appropriation voted by school district .....	\$ 100,078.59	\$ 103,027.34	\$ 111,830.16

## REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

For Fiscal Year July 1, 1960 to June 30, 1961

### SUMMARY

Cash on hand July 1, 1960	\$	41.31
Received from School Board:		
Current Appropriation	\$91,448.92	
Reimbursement for School Lunch Program	1,262.13	
Federal Funds — Home Economics	267.82	
Federal Funds — Title 111	295.61	
Tuitions	1,785.02	
Gym Rental	395.00	
D. W. & E. L. Cogswell Fund	2,081.10	
L. A. Cogswell School Fund	2,451.68	
Election Filing Fees	5.00	
All Other Receipts	720.37	
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Total Receipts	\$100,712.65	
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year	\$100,753.96	
Less School Board Orders Paid by Treasurer	\$ 99,767.88	
Balance On Hand June 30, 1961	\$	986.08

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### GEORGE H. DODGE MEMORIAL SCHOOL FUND

Cash on Hand July 1, 1960	\$	99.19
Received Bank Interest		3.15
Received from Trustees Town Trust Funds		18.29
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year	\$	120.63
Less School Board Orders Paid by Treasurer		NONE
Balance On Hand June 30, 1961	\$	120.63

CHARLES H. TUCKER,  
District Treasurer

## **VITAL STATISTICS**

# VITAL STATISTICS

Births Registered in the Town of Henniker for the Year Ended December 31, 1961

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents
Jan. 4	Concord	Kenneth James	Richard H. Davis	Evelyn M. Dutton	Henniker
Jan. 12	Concord	Sandra Jane	Joseph N. Cox	Drusilla J. Bean	Henniker
Feb. 14	Concord	Jennifer Ann	Richard A. Brown	Frances V. Fowle	Henniker
Feb. 22	Concord	Wendy Mae	William F. Maillette	Joanne S. Tibbetts	Henniker
Feb. 24	Concord	Stephen William	Chester H. Dodge, Jr.	Audrey J. Mowry	Henniker
Mar. 18	Concord	Michael Alan	George A. Wood, Jr.	Anna M. Peterson	Henniker
Mar. 26	Concord	Sandra Beryle	Walter H. Cleary, Jr.	Elizabeth A. Guimond	Henniker
Mar. 28	Concord	William John	Paul M. Knight	Mildred C. Manville	Henniker
Apr. 11	Concord	Karen Michelle	Arthur K. Hall	Shirley M. Francis	Henniker
Apr. 20	Concord	Rita Irene	Francis N. Taylor	Thelma D. Thomas	Henniker
May 16	Concord	Brian Rodney	Rodney B. Patenaude	Carolyn L. Fitch	Henniker
May 27	Concord	Geri Anne	Stanley J. Bracy	Evelyn G. Damour	Henniker
May 28	Concord	Bruce Edward, Jr.	Bruce E. Caldwell	Phyllis J. Heath	Henniker
May 28	Concord	Thomas Hobart	Lincoln Lounsbury, Jr.	Margaret J. Ferris	Henniker
June 9	Concord	Suzanne	Daniel R. DaCosta	Jean M. Knaption	Henniker
July 6	Concord	Graydon Jerrold, III	Graydon J. Clark, Jr.	Irene C. Colby	Henniker
July 19	Concord	Christina	Richard R. Fairbank	Louise C. Cunningham	Henniker
Aug. 4	New London	Deborah Ann	Roy F. Leach, Jr.	Claire F. Peterson	Henniker
Aug. 10	Concord	Michael Allen	George F. Morse	Beverly J. McGregor	Henniker
Sept. 2	Concord	Dawn Lee	Robert T. French	Arlene R. Stewart	Henniker
Sept. 6	Concord	Doreen Fay	James A. Connor	Brenda Y. Walker	Henniker

# Births Registered in the Town of Henniker for the Year Ended December 31, 1961

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Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents
Sept. 8	Manchester	Roland Bertrand	Herve G. Aucoin	Madeleine D. Plourde	Henniker
Sept. 12	Newport	Kevin James	Fred K. Plaisted	Sandra J. Hazen	Henniker
Sept. 16	Concord	Francis Roland J.	Isadore J. Paul	Rachel T. Aucoin	Henniker
Sept. 27	Concord	Randi Lynn	Ronald L. Garrison	Judith I. Leavitt	Henniker
Sept. 27	Concord	Richard Kenneth	Theodore D. Wadleigh	Barbara J. Graham	Henniker
Oct. 23	Concord	Kevin Wayne	Allison C. White	Elsie M. Edwards	Henniker
Nov. 6	Concord	Matthew Holland	Raymond Roy Colby	Laurel E. Brown	Henniker
Nov. 25	Attleboro, Mass.	Gwendolyn Marie	Michael G. Capron	Patricia A. Clark	Henniker
Nov. 30	Concord	Steven Richard	Charles R. Homo	Geraldine G. Blake	Henniker

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CHARLES H. TUCKER, Town Clerk.



# Marriages Registered in the Town of Henniker for the Year Ended December 31, 1961

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Bride and Groom	Residence of Each at time of Marriage	Age No.	Place of Birth of Each	Name of Parents of Each	Name, Residence, Official Station of Person by whom Married
February 17 Henniker	Denys J. DuPont Judith A. Mombourquette	Newton, Mass. Halesite, N. Y. Henniker	26 1 19 1	New Hampshire New York	Edward C. DuPont Dora A. Philbotte Harry Mombourquette	Robert H. Lewis Clergyman Henniker
March 11 Concord	Ronald L. Garrison Judith I. Leavitt	Henniker Concord	20 1 18 1	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Delora B. Hussey Langdon Garrison Lurena Cole Forrest Leavitt	Clinton L. Morrill Clergyman Concord
April 2 Henniker	Richard A. Bellinger Shirley E. Gibbs	Hillman, Mich. Henniker	21 1 20 2	Michigan Vermont	William J. Bellinger Thelma R. Durkee Eugene F. LaFrancis	Bruce E. Berry Ordained Elder Methodist Church Hillsboro
June 9 Henniker	Wendell F. Bergh Donna L. Cutter	Henniker Hillsboro	21 1 17 1	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Helen E. Bartholomew Warren E. Bergh Ruth Taylor	Charles H. Tucker Justice of the Peace Henniker
June 10 New London	Maurice L. Aucoin Patricia A. Messer	Henniker New London	29 1 20 1	New Hampshire New Hampshire	James D. Cutter Lena F. Gregoire Wilfred L. Aucoin	David E. Hutchinson Catholic Priest New London
June 10 Henniker	James H. Haggerty Doris S. Talbot	Portsmouth, R. I. Fall River, Mass.	69 3 55 3	Massachusetts Massachusetts	Therese L. Favreau Adelbert W. Messer Geraldine Emery James Haggerty Margaret Murphy Chester T. W. Sutcliffe Florence Kelley	Robert H. Lewis Clergyman Henniker

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(CONTINUED)

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Bride and Groom	Residence of Each at time of Marriage	Age No.	Place of Birth of Each	Name of Parents of Each	Name, Residence, Official Station of Person by whom Married
June 15 Henniker	Vassilious G. Demeson, Jr. Joanne Meyers	Henniker Henniker	20 1 18 1	New York New York	George V. Demeson Georgia Kapralos Philip Meyers	Robert H. Lewis Clergyman Henniker
June 17 Henniker	Ronald R. Martin Janet N. Tiplady	Henniker Rehoboth, Mass.	24 1 20 1	Massachusetts Rhode Island	Albert W. Martin Antoinette B. Sirard John W. Tiplady Virginia L. Brown	Francis E. Butler Catholic Priest Henniker
July 3 Henniker	Fred K. Plaisted, Jr. Sandra J. Hazen	Plymouth Henniker	25 1 17 1	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Fred K. Plaisted Doris Bruso Floyd C. Hazen	Diamond A. Maxwell Justice of the Peace Henniker
July 22 Henniker	Daniel E. Curtis, Jr. Kathleen F. McNeal	Concord Henniker	17 1 18 1	Massachusetts New Hampshire	June E. Howard Daniel E. Curtis, Sr. Ruth E. Tandy Russell H. McNeal Fern H. Grund	Francis E. Butler Catholic Priest Henniker
August 19 Henniker	William F. Tiedge Judith S. Rohrbach	Henniker Henniker	21 1 19 1	New York Michigan	Harry F. Tiedge Dorothy Peden Ralph A. Rohrbach Harriet Arnold	Paul A. Stauffer Clergyman Concord
September 9 Henniker	David H. Bartlett Priscilla A. Herrick	Lowell, Mass. Henniker	25 1 19 1	Massachusetts New Hampshire	Winthrop C. Bartlett Viola Howker Wesley F. Herrick Phyllis E. Cook	Robert H. Lewis Clergyman Henniker

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(CONTINUED)

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Bride and Groom	Residence of Each at time of Marriage	Age No.	Place of Birth of Each	Name of Parents of Each	Name, Residence, Official Station of Per- son by whom Married
September 9	Robert C. Clark	Henniker	22 1	New Hampshire	Fred A. Clark Leita M. Shove	James P. Watson Catholic Priest Littleton
Littleton	Deanna E. Nichols	Henniker	20 1	New Hampshire	(Unknown) Elizabeth E. Nichols	
October 18	Merrill W. Nutter	Henniker	19 1	New Hampshire	Petley W. Nutter	Robert H. Lewis Clergyman Henniker
Henniker	Joanne R. Fitch	Henniker	15 1	New Hampshire	Norma Merrill Clarence L. Fitch	
October 21	Harold W. Pokorny	Lincoln, Nebr.	30 1	Nebraska	Lois L. Nutting	Robert H. Lewis Clergyman Henniker
Henniker	Patricia A. Buxton	Henniker	21 1	New Hampshire	Howard W. Pokorny Lucella M. Nichols	
October 28	Joseph F. L'Etoile	Derry	49 1	New Hampshire	Ralph W. Buxton Doris L. Patch	Leslie N. Burns Minister of the Gospel Manchester
Henniker	Dorothy M. Rand	Henniker	44 1	New Hampshire	Joseph L'Etoile Frances Beauchemin	
November 18	Frederick J. Caldwell	Henniker	28 2	New Hampshire	William H. Rand Maude G. Moody	John I. Johnson Ordained Minister of the Gospel Concord
Concord	Rae J. Follansbee	Concord	19 1	New Hampshire	Herman F. Caldwell Beatrice J. Bishopric	Bradford W. McIntire Justice of the Peace Durham
November 24	Edward J. Hehre, Jr.	Henniker	21 1	New York	Reginald C. Follansbee Flora B. Abbott	
Durham	Susan E. Sonnichsen	Ithaca,	21 1	New York	Edward J. Hehre Florence D. Baker	
					Harold M. Sonnichsen Thelma Lowenberg	

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# Deaths Registered in the Town of Henniker for the Year Ended December 31, 1961

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name of Deceased	Age	Place of Birth	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Jan. 16	Concord	George Henry Rogers	62	New Hampshire	Edmund Rogers	Mary E. Breed
Jan. 18	Concord	Fanny Cypria	65	New York	Jacob Cypria	Mary Soika
Jan. 21	Concord	Emma Rowe	78	Massachusetts	Henry Barry	Emma Ripley
Jan. 30	Henniker	Josiah H. Magoon	67	New Hampshire	Frank H. Magoon	Gertrude Byam
Feb. 2	Manchester	Charles F. Fisher	32	Massachusetts	Thomas F. Fisher	Honora Power
Feb. 5	Henniker	Duncan G. Shepard	64	New Hampshire	Frank E. Shepard	Mabel Bacon
Feb. 14	Henniker	Albert J. Champagne	59	New Hampshire	Alexander Champagne	Clerina Provencher
Feb. 26	Concord	Hiram G. McAlpine	81	New Hampshire	Clarence McAlpine	Ella Grimes
Mar. 8	Concord	Cora G. Adams	77	Canada	Thomas Adams	Elizabeth Newcombe
Mar. 10	Henniker	Gladys O. Frederick	79	New York	John F. Outwater	Pamela Haring
Mar. 12	Concord	Winifred F. Harris	91	Maine	John Braley	Mary Varney
Mar. 24	Keene	Mabel A. Colby	88	New Hampshire	Thomas Colby	Josephine Tuttle
May 18	Boscawen	Frank A. Sargent	92	New Hampshire	Frank Sargent	Mary Jewell
May 31	Concord	Baby Girl Gould	Still'b5n	New Hampshire	Allen W. Gould	Mary A. Morse
June 2	Concord	Grace L. Dunning	59	New Jersey	Joseph C. Leaw	Mary W. Wagner
June 12	Henniker	James J. Moody	66	Massachusetts	Thomas Moody	Isabelle Fairbairne
July 13	Henniker	Scott L. Tilden	10 mos. 16 d	New York	Philip S. Tilden	Phyllis R. Pahl
July 16	Henniker	Walter L. French	84	New Hampshire	Christopher C. French	Mary M. Patterson
Aug. 23	Concord	Samuel A. Baker	91	New Hampshire	John E. Baker	Eliza Proctor
Aug. 26	Henniker	George R. Newton	72	New Jersey	George A. Newton	Helen Gould
Aug. 27	Concord	Anna B. Clyburn	84	Massachusetts	Henry Bird	Irene Shaw
Aug. 27	Henniker	Bessie J. McAlpine	70	Scotland	Ramsey Sinclair	Annabelle Calder

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Date of Death	Place of Death	Name of Deceased	Age	Place of Birth	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Aug. 28	Concord	Ethel Crain	81	Nova Scotia	(Not Stated)	(Not Stated)
Aug. 30	Henniker	Howard L. Taylor	78	Massachusetts	Edgar N. Taylor	Georgie Dow
Sept. 2	Concord	Herbert Cummings	87	New Hampshire	Eugene Cummings	Belinda Wright
Oct. 4	Concord	Perley C. Thomas	82	New Hampshire	Kendall Thomas	(Unknown)
Oct. 4	Concord	Alice C. Hoyt	87	New Hampshire	W. E. Farley	Carrie Newman
Oct. 15	Bradford	Georgie M. Sanborn	75	New Hampshire	George H. Sanborn	Katie B. Smith
Oct. 22	Concord	Harry L. Hoyt	77	New Hampshire	James F. Hoyt	Lydia N. Dow
Nov. 1	Los Angeles, Cal.	Irving G. Clapp	34	New Hampshire	Chester M. Clapp	Ethel A. Baillie
Nov. 15	Boscawen	Bessie D. Stevens	73	Virginia	F. W. Dabney	Roberta Sanders
Nov. 23	Newport	Carlton W. Flanders	66	New Hampshire	Warren C. Flanders	Eva L. Presby
Nov. 29	Concord	J. Herbert Conner	89	New Hampshire	Frederick Conner	Sophia Caldwell
Dec. 6	Concord	Floyd F. Wilson	63	Maine	Andrew Wilson	Helen Flint
Dec. 9	Norway, Me.	Charlie H. Ridley	65	Maine	Horace Ridley	Abbie Danforth
Dec. 15	Nashua	Stanley E. Patch	55	New Hampshire	Percy E. Patch	Flora M. Flanders
Dec. 22	Henniker	Annie E. Favor	83	New Hampshire	George Locke	Mary Wright

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# REVISED CIVIL DEFENSE AIR RAID INSTRUCTIONS

## ALERT SIGNAL

A steady blast of 3 to 5 minutes on sirens, whistles, horns or similar devices.

### What To Do

*DO NOT* use the telephone.

Tune your radio to a Conelrad station (640 or 1240 kc) for emergency instructions.

*DO NOT* become panicky if your radio is silent for a short time. This is necessary to switch to emergency broadcasting frequencies. Know your local civil defense emergency plans. Obey police and civil defense instructions.

## TAKE COVER SIGNAL

*WAILING TONE OR SHORT BLAST* for 3 minutes on sirens, whistles, horns, or similar devices.

### What To Do

*AT HOME:* Get into your home shelter immediately.

If you have none, shut all outside doors and windows and take cover in the basement or an interior first-floor room.

*OUTDOORS:* Seek the best available cover.

*STAY PUT* until you get word to come out.

*IMPORTANT:* If you see a bright flash of light take cover instantly.

640 —

— 1240

REMEMBER CONELRAD IS THE KEY

640 —

— 1240